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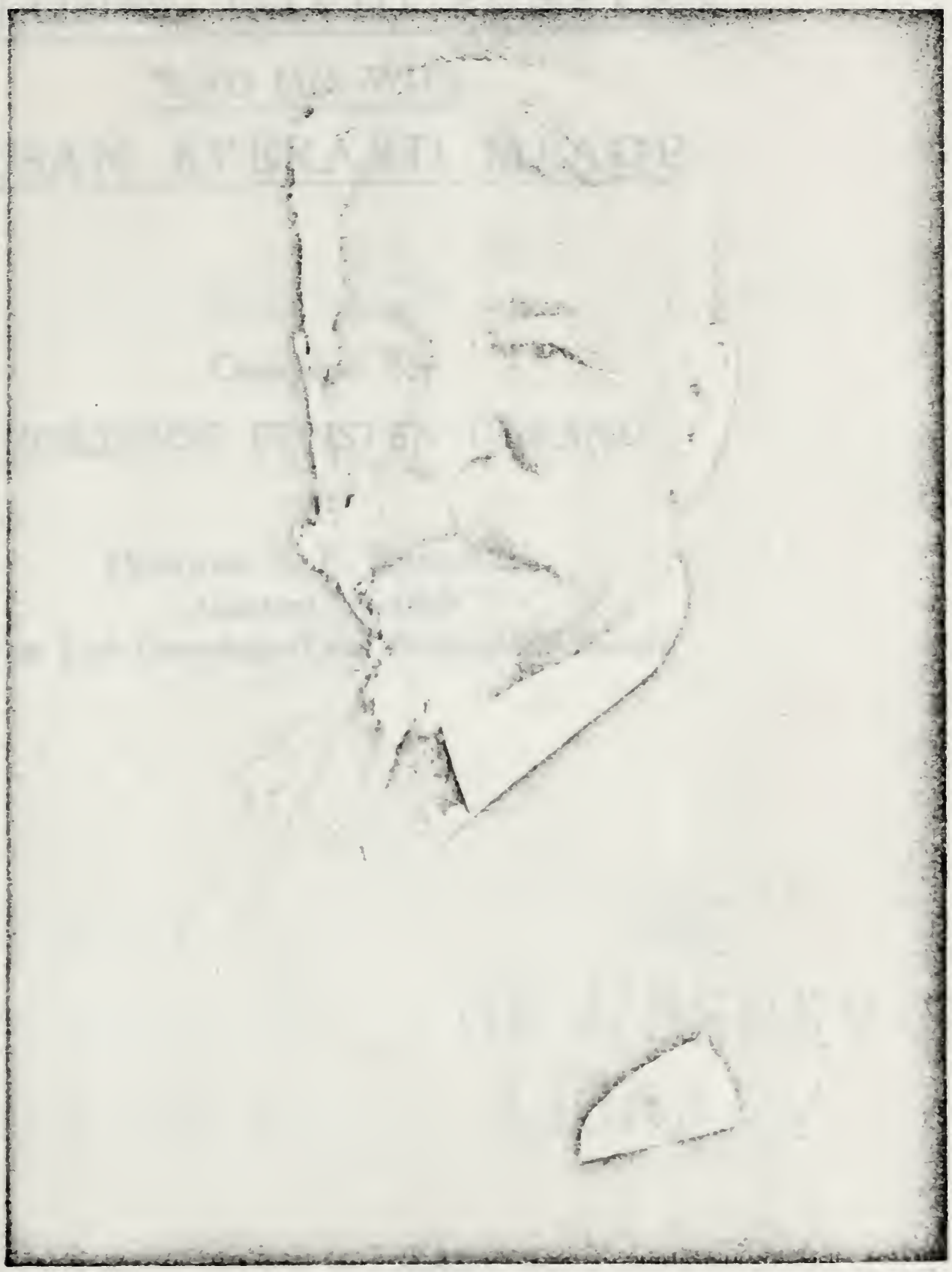

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MY FATHER

AND

THE MEMORY OF

MY MOTHER

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## FUNSTEN

The progenitor of the Funsten family in America was Oliver Funsten. He came from the northeastern part of Ireland, near Belfast, and as he was forty-four years old at his death in 1826, he must have been born about 1782. It is known that he arrived at Philadelphia and remained in that city for a short time before going to Virginia. No attempt has been made to discover his ancestry in Ireland. The best account of him is contained in the "History of the Lower Shenandoah Valley," by J. E. Norris (page 625), from information which was supplied by his daughter, Miss Emily Funsten, which says

"Oliver Funsten, a member of the Church of England, came to this country the latter part of the eighteenth century, when a young man, from the northeastern part of Ireland, and settled at White Post, then in Frederick County, but now in Clarke County, Virginia. He was a very prosperous merchant, and enjoyed pre-eminently the confidence of all who knew him for his integrity, sound judgment and the firm maintenance of his convictions. It was often said of him that his name was a synonym for integrity. He married Margaret, daughter of Andrew McKay . . . and died in 1826, leaving a widow and ten children."

This brief biography of Oliver Funsten can be supplemented with a few items. Thomas H. Gold, in his

"History of Clarke County, Virginia," (page 49), states that the historic village of White Post, Virginia, became quite a center of trade "mainly through the efforts and enterprise of Mr. Oliver Funsten, whose storehouses—substantial buildings of stone and brick—were built on the several corners of the crossing of the roads." This village grew around the cross roads at which Lord Fairfax erected the "White Post," intended as a sign post directing travelers to take the southern road to his manor, "Greenway Court," a short distance away; and the northwestern road to Winchester, about twelve miles distant. This post, weatherboarded and painted white, has been maintained ever since its erection about 1751. In recent years an arc light has been installed, and a bronze tablet has been placed upon one side which reads:—

This Post was originally
placed here by Lord Fairfax, to
direct strangers to his home,
Greenway Court, about one and a
half miles from here, and to point
the way to Winchester.

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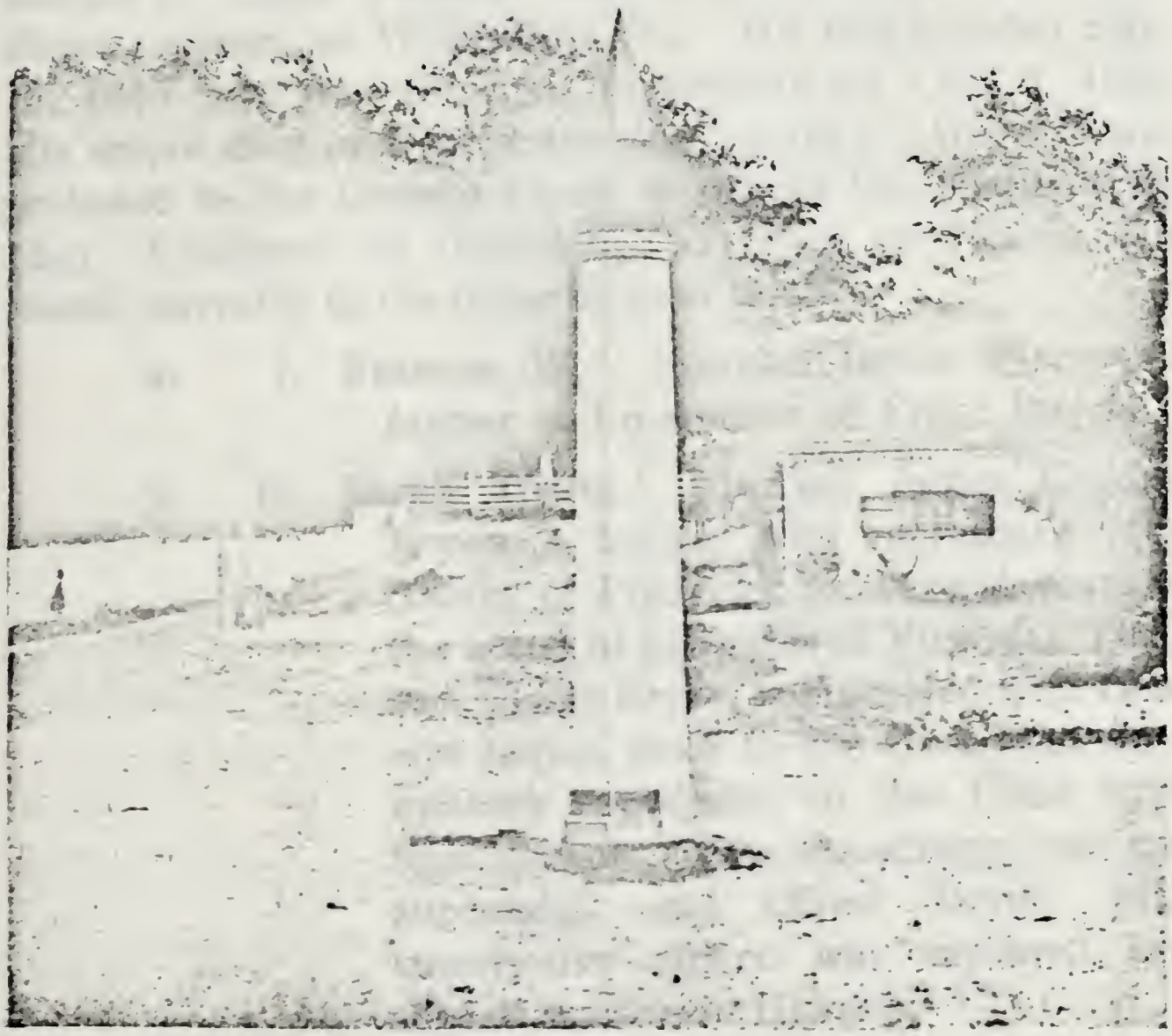
Tradition says that
George Washington erected
the first post.

1751–1921

The Meade Memorial Church at White Post, dedicated July 13, 1875, was built on the site of the residence of Oliver Funsten—which was burned before 1870—largely from the brick of that residence. The recorded deed conveying to him the lot upon which his residence was built is dated in 1800 and recites that he was then living at White Post. The family tradition is that Oliver Funsten was nineteen years old when he came to Virginia. No portrait of him is in existence, but a silhouette, in the possession of one of his



The "White Post" near Winchester, Virginia

**Erected by Lord Fairfax**

descendants, was thought by his children to be an excellent profile likeness.

## FIRST GENERATION

1. OLIVER[1] FUNSTEN, born in Ireland about 1780–1782; emigrated to America the latter part of the eighteenth century; settled at White Post, Frederick Co., Va., shortly prior to 1800; married, date unknown, Margaret McKay, daughter of Andrew McKay and Jane Ridgway (see McKay). Oliver Funsten died in September, 1826, aged about 44 years, at White Post, Va. His will is dated Sept. 18, 1826, and was admitted to probate on Oct. 2, 1826. His widow died in Winchester, Va., in 1843. Her will was probated in the County Court of Clarke Co. on Sept. 25, 1843. Children: 10 (Funsten), as given by Norris, but stated correctly in the order of their birth:—

2. i. **Frances W.**[2] Married James Withers, a farmer and merchant of Front Royal.

3. ii. **Sarah Young.**[2] Married James Gordon Bryce, a lawyer who represented the county of Frederick for several years in the house of delegates of Virginia. Their son, Oliver Bryce, volunteered with General Lopez, prior to the Civil War, in a military expedition to free Cuba from Spanish rule. The expedition was not successful, and Oliver Bryce, with twenty-five others, was captured and shot at sunrise in Havana.

4. iii. **Maria.**[2] Married James A. Bynum, a lawyer and representative in Congress from North Carolina for a number of years.

5. iv. **Margaret.**[2] Married first Major Richard Bennett, paymaster in the United States

Army; married second Richard E. Byrd, a prominent lawyer of Winchester, Va. By his first wife, Anne (died 1842), daughter of Benjamin Harrison of "Brandon," Mr. Byrd was the father of Colonel William Byrd; the grandfather of Richard Evelyn Byrd; and the great-grandfather of Harry Flood Byrd, the present Governor of Virginia; of Lieutenant Commander Richard Evelyn Byrd, who in the spring of 1926, was the first man to fly over the North Pole; and of Thomas Bolling Byrd, of Clarke Co., Va. Margaret (Funsten-Bennett) Byrd died April 21, 1874, at Winchester, Va., and is interred at "Old Chapel," Clarke Co., where Mr. Byrd and his first wife are also interred.

6. v. **Emily.**[2] Never married. Died March, 1893. Her residence in Winchester, Va., which has been in the family for more than eighty years, is now the home of her nephew, Robert M. Ward.

7. vi. **Robert Gray.**[2] Died at the age of nineteen, unmarried.

8. vii. **Elizabeth.**[2] Died in infancy—date not known.

9. viii. **Oliver Ridgway.**[2] Married first, Mary Catherine Meade, daughter of David Meade (see Meade); married second, Mary Bowen, daughter of James Bowen of Albemarle. His residence in Clarke County was "The Highlands," situated about one mile west of White Post. He graduated from the well known Jefferson

Medical College in Philadelphia. At one time he represented Clarke County in the State Senate. When the war began in 1861 he entered the Confederate army, serving as Colonel of the Eleventh Virginia Cavalry throughout the war. He returned, broken in health and fortune, and died July 14, 1871, at the age of 56 years. His second wife built and owned until her death, "Mirador," in Albemarle Co., which was subsequently purchased from her heirs by Mr. C. D. Langhorne, the father of the famous Langhorne sisters, one of whom is now Lady Astor. It belongs at the present time to one of his grandchildren, Mrs. Ronald Tree, of Chicago.

Children: 11 (Funsten):—

By his first wife, Mary Catherine Meade:—

i. **Louisa Nelson,**[3] born 1833; married John Thomas Fletcher, and had three children: Mary Olivia Fletcher, born May 18, 1869, married George W. Kinsey; Elizabeth Hamilton Fletcher, born June 18, 1872, married Wade H. Massie; and John Nelson Fletcher, born March 8, 1880, unmarried.

ii. **Oliver Ridgway,**[3] born 1842; married Lucy Lewis. No children.

iii. **Mary Catherine,**[3] born Feb. 27, 1847; married Hamilton Smith Fletcher (brother of John Thomas Fletcher above), and had a son and a daughter,

Louise Funsten Fletcher, who married first Edward M. Green, and second Marshall L. King.

By his second wife, Mary Bowen:—

iv. **Frances Starke,**[3] born Dec. 6, 1855; married Rev. Robert A. Castleman. Two sons and three daughters.

v. **Rt. Rev. James Bowen,**[3] D.D., late Bishop (P. E. Church) of the Diocese of Idaho, born July 23, 1857; died Dec. 1, 1918; married in 1886 Ida Vivian Pratt. Four sons and one daughter.

vi. **Ida Bowen.**[3] Unmarried.

vii. **Robert Gray.**[3]

viii. **David,**[3] married Mary Caughy. No children.

ix. **Margaret,**[3] married Rev. Thomas A. Semmes. Two sons and one daughter.

x. **Annie,**[3] married 1890 Rt. Rev. Robert Carter Jett, D.D., now Bishop (P. E. Church) of the Diocese of South-West Virginia. Two daughters.

xi. **Oliver Herbert,**[3] married Elizabeth Carter Minor. Two sons.

+10. ix. **David,**[2] born Oct. 14, 1819. See below.

11. x. **Julia Ann,**[2] married George W. Ward, a native of Culpepper County, Va. He was a lawyer and farmer; one-time presiding Justice of the Old County Court of Frederick; and for more than twenty years represented that County in either the lower or upper House of the Virginia

Legislature. The family residence was at "Elmwood," near Winchester, Va. Julia Ann (Funsten) Ward, who was the youngest of the children of Oliver[1] Funsten, died in January, 1884; her husband died in March, 1902. They had eight children, two of whom died in infancy; the others given in the order of the date of birth are (Ward):—

i. **Margaret Funsten**[3] (Minna); never married; died in Winchester, Nov. 8, 1904.

ii. **George William,**[3] married Elizabeth Arthur Preston of Abingdon, Va., and had two children. He was a lawyer and editor of prominence; one time Judge of County Court of Washington County. While at the Virginia Military Institute he was one of the famed Cadet Corps which distinguished itself at the battle of New Market on May 15th, 1864. A monument upon the Campus commemorates this event. He died at Abingdon, Va., Jan. 27, 1897.

iii. **Dr. Julian,**[3] married Eleanor Knight of Cecil County, Md. He is a physician and Mayor of the city of Winchester, Va.

**Emily Funsten**[3] (Lillie); never married. She was a missionary of the Episcopal Church, stationed at Wuchang, China. She died June 27, 1897, and is buried at Shanghai.

v. **Robert Marion,**[3] married Emily Ridgway Funsten (No. 24 of this record), April 12, 1899. He is a prominent lawyer of Winchester, and was at one time a member of the Virginia Senate; and later President of the Board of Education (Handley School Foundation) of Winchester.

vi. **Rev. David,**[3] married Cornelia Stephensen Ewing of Alexandria, Va.; was a clergyman of the Episcopal Church; died at Rockville, Md., in July, 1908.

## SECOND GENERATION

**10.** DAVID[2] FUNSTEN, born Oct. 14, 1819; married by Rev. Wm. G. H. Jones at Christ Church, Millwood, Clarke Co., Va., on Nov. 21, 1844, to Susan Everard Meade, daughter of David Meade and his wife Louisa Washington Nelson (see Meade). The following interesting letter, now in the possession of Mrs. Edwin Hinks, casts a vivid light on an event in the Civil War. It was written by Susan Everard (Meade) Funsten to her brother William Fitzhugh Meade ("Buck") at "Benvenue."

"May 3rd
"Alexandria

"My dear Buck—

"There is no alternative we must leave here immediately, and Benvenue is the only place I can think of where I could go *without* an *invitation*.

"A dispatch has just been received from Richmond saying that Alexandria will probably be attacked on Monday, so we will have to leave here on Sunday and go part of the way.

"Please meet us at River Station on Monday and bring a large waggon as we are compelled to bring all of the servants

David Funsten, 1819-1866

Susan Everard Meade, 1824-1872

Wife of David Funsten

for safety. I will try and get them out of the way as soon as possible, and make some early arrangement for us all so as not to be too heavy a burden upon any one.

"The position we occupy is very embarrassing, but under the *circumstances* it can't be helped. I leave my dear home with a sad, sad heart. God grant that we may return to it again. I cannot write more.

"As ever your
"Affectionate
"Sister
"SUSAN."

She was born May 16, 1824, and died April 9, 1872. David Funsten was graduated from Princeton in 1838; practiced law in Alexandria, Va.; was a member of the Virginia Assembly in 1844; Lieutenant Colonel and Colonel of the Eleventh Virginia Infantry, C. S. A., 1861–1863, until severely wounded; Representative from Virginia to C. S. Congress 1863–65. He died April 6, 1866, from the effects of wounds received in the battle of Seven Pines. He and his wife are interred at Ivy Hill Cemetery near Alexandria, Va. Children: 13 (Funsten):—

+12. i. **Mary Catherine,**[3] born at "Mt. Airy," Clarke Co., Va., Oct. 24, 1846.

+13. ii. **Susan Meade,**[3] born at "Erin," Clarke Co., Va., Aug. 5, 1848.

14. iii. **David,**[3] born at "Erin," Feb. 15, 1850; died April 20, 1862, at "Benvenue," Clarke Co., Va.*

* "Regarding the death of my brother, David Funsten, who was known in his young days and in fact up until the time of his death as 'Daisy.' The accident occurred in 1862, the second year of the Civil War. My father was then Colonel of the 11th Virginia Infantry and was in winter quarters on the battlefield of Bull Run. My brother and myself were visiting him and were assisting the soldiers in building a hut for him, when the building—probably for want of sufficient nails—collapsed, and he was caught between the upper log and the rafters. I at the time was standing inside of the building handing up shingles to him, and he was handing them to the soldiers on the roof, when suddenly the building fell in. I helped to take him down and carried him to my father's tent. That night he became delirious and lost his power of speech,

+15. iv. **Robert Emmett,**[3] born at "Erin," Dec. 10, 1851.

+16. v. **Louisa Cary,**[3] born at Alexandria, Va., Jan. 10, 1853.

+17. vi. **William Fitzhugh,**[3] born at Alexandria, Va., April 16, 1855.

+18. vii. **James Johnston,**[3] born at Alexandria, Va., July 5, 1856.

19. viii. **Oliver,**[3] born at Alexandria, Va., Nov. 10, 1857; died July 9, 1858.

+20. ix. **Lizzie Lee,**[3] born at Alexandria, Va., Jan. 18, 1859.

21. x. **Rev. George Meade,**[3] born at Alexandria, Va., March 12, 1860; died, unmarried, Feb. 17, 1891, at Atlanta, Ga. Mr. Funsten had been rector of St. Philip's Church at Atlanta, for only two years, but in this time he had so endeared himself to his people that when he died the whole city was moved. His attractive personality, his tireless energy, and his devoutness had built up the church remarkably, and his untimely death was sincerely mourned. The funeral was held

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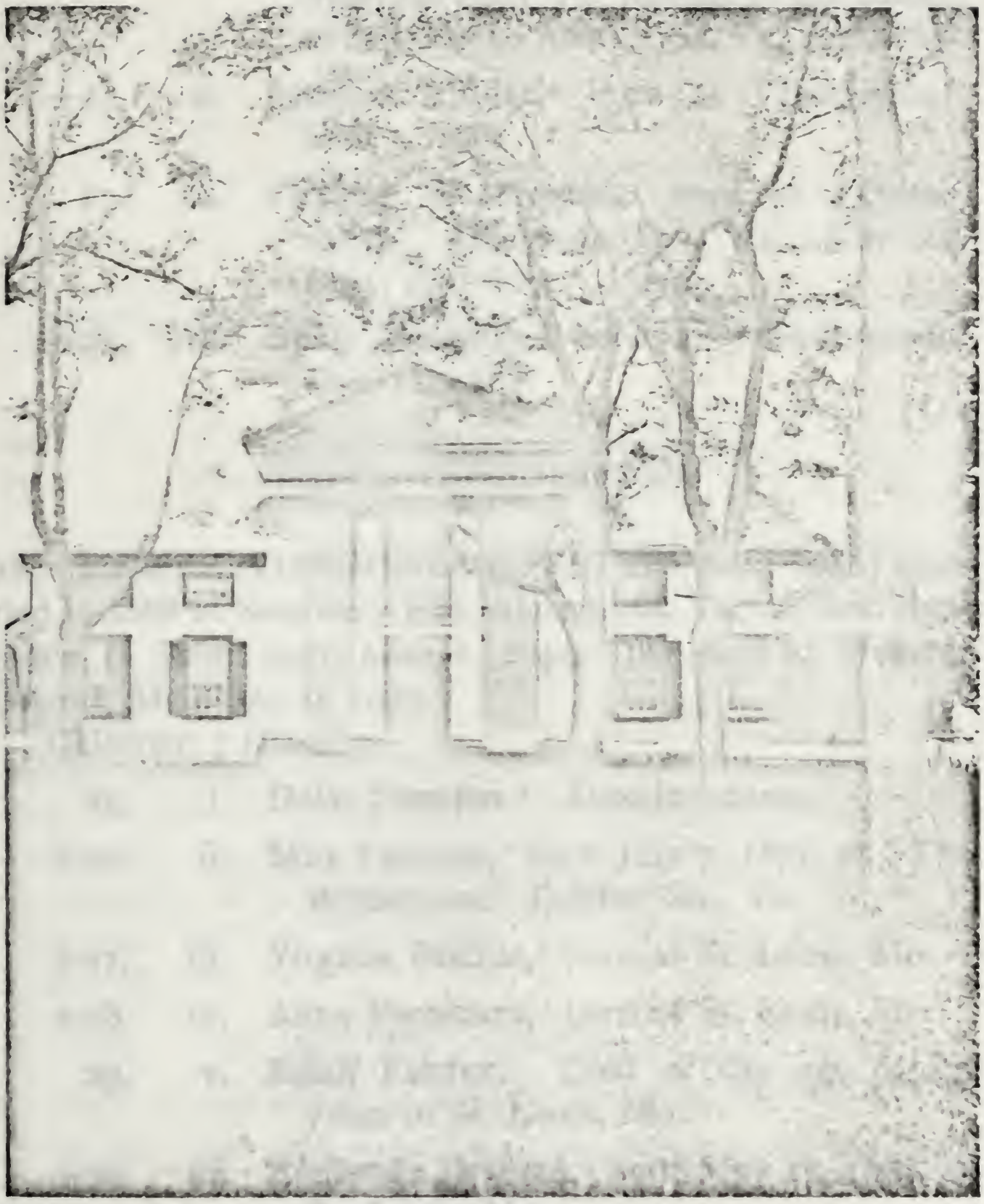
and as my mother was half the time in the Federal lines and the other half in the Confederate lines and not a doctor was in reach, my father, therefore, kept the wounded boy in his camp for three months, where he had good medical attention, but finally he was taken home and for the balance of the time was without medical attention, as the doctors were all in the army, but he had to be taken home as the army was breaking up their winter camp and had orders to move. One month later, on Easter morning, he passed away. The only utterance that he was known to have made during his illness was the day before his death when he was heard to say 'The Lord hath given and the Lord hath taken away.' This is the true account of his accident and death. He was a very handsome young fellow, and, of course, his death was a great affliction, especially to my father, as he was his oldest boy and his namesake." Robert Emmett Funsten, in a letter dated Sept. 22, 1926.



"Erin"
Home of Col. David Funsten, Shenandoah Valley of Virginia
Built in 1845

at his church on Feb. 19th, and the entire congregation followed the hearse when his body was carried to the station to be taken to Alexandria, Va., for burial.

+22. xi. **Richard Kidder,**[3] born at "Benvenue," Nov. 1, 1861.

23. xii. **Virginia Washington,**[3] born at "Greenwood," Albemarle Co., Va., July 28, 1863; died Sept. 9, 1863.

+24. xiii. **Emily Ridgway,**[3] born at "Greenwood," Dec. 11, 1864.

## THIRD GENERATION

**12.** MARY CATHERINE[3] FUNSTEN, born 1846; married in 1868 at Seminary Hill, Alexandria, Va., to Rev. Benjamin E. Reed, born May 2, 1844. She died at Webster Groves, Mo., Dec. 9, 1923.

Children: 7 (Reed):—

25. i. **Daisy Funsten.**[4] Died in infancy.

+26. ii. **May Funsten,**[4] born July 7, 1872, at "The Wilderness," Fairfax Co., Va.

+27. iii. **Virginia Ritchie,**[4] born at St. Louis, Mo.

+28. iv. **Anne Paramore,**[4] born at St. Louis, Mo.

29. v. **Edith Fairfax.**[4] Died at the age of six years in St. Louis, Mo.

+30. vi. **Benjamin Everard,**[4] born May 15, 1888, at St. Louis, Mo.

+31. vii. **Dorothy.**[4] Twin to Benjamin Everard.

**13.** SUSAN MEADE[3] FUNSTEN, born 1848; married in 1869 at Seminary Hill, Alexandria, Va., to Rev. William Meade Dame, born Dec. 17, 1844; died Jan. 27, 1923. She died Nov. 3, 1918, at Baltimore, Md.

Children: 5 (Dame):—

32. i. **Susan Meade,**[4] born 1872; died 1877.

+33. ii. **William Page,**[4] born in Alexandria, Va., June 12, 1875.

34. iii. **Wilmer,**[4] born in Baltimore, Md., Dec. 14, 1877; married Nov., 1918, Lula Marsden, daughter of Charles T. Marsden. No children.

+35. iv. **Randolph Nelson,**[4] born in Baltimore, Md., July 18, 1880.

36. v. **Elizabeth Lee,**[4] born Nov. 4, 1881. Married first, Nov. 12, 1902, Walter Herndon Miles; married second, Feb. 18, 1921, Edward Alford Merritt. No children by either marriage.

15. ROBERT EMMETT[3] FUNSTEN, born 1851; married Dec. 1, 1875, at Alexandria, Va., Charlotte Elizabeth (Lillie) Cook (see Appendix), daughter of Dr. Henry Cook and Hortensia Harmon Mark, born June 13, 1852, at Alexandria, Va., died Sept. 17, 1922, at St. Louis, Mo.

Children: 8 (Funsten). First two born at Alexandria, Va.; third born at Wytheville, Va.; remainder born at St. Louis, Mo.:—

+37. i. **Hortense,**[4] born Sept. 11, 1876.

+38. ii. **Robert Emmett,**[4] Jr., born Nov. 1, 1878.

+39. iii. **Fitzhugh Lee,**[4] born July 5, 1880 (baptized as William Fitzhugh).

40. iv. **Llewellyn.**[4] Died in infancy.

+41. v. **Eugene M.,**[4] born August 6, 1885.

+42. vi. **Edward Saunders,**[4] born May 15, 1888.

43. vii. **David.**[4] Died in infancy.

+44. viii. **Randolph Fairfax,**[4] born August 3, 1895.

16. LOUISA CARY[3] FUNSTEN, born 1853; married Dec. 10, 1874, at Norfolk, Va., to James Albert Slaughter, born June 14, 1836, at Washington, Rappahannock Co., Va., son of Reuben Slaughter and Emily Virginia Long. Louisa Cary (Funsten) Slaughter died March 19, 1905, at Galveston, Texas.

Children: 7 (Slaughter), none of whom married:—

45. i. **Emily Virginia,**[4] born July 4, 1876, at Little Rock, Ark.

46. ii. **Susan Meade,**[4] born Nov. 24, 1877, at Galveston, Texas.

47. iii. **Albert Cary,**[4] born Jan. 18, 1880, at Washington, Rappahannock Co., Va.; died Dec. 8, 1900.

48. iv. **Evelyn Lee,**[4] born Feb. 11, 1882, at Galveston, Texas; died Aug. 31, 1894.

49. v. **Homoiselle Thornton,**[4] born Jan. 16, 1884, at Galveston, Texas; died Nov. 16, 1904.

50. vi. **Eleanor Fairfax,**[4] born Aug. 30, 1885, at Galveston, Texas; died May 10, 1906.

51. vii. **Louise Nelson,**[4] born Nov. 11, 1888, at Galveston, Texas; died Aug. 26, 1916.

17. WILLIAM FITZHUGH[3] FUNSTEN, born 1855; married Oct. 19, 1886, at St. Louis, Mo., Alice Eliza Forbes, born Feb. 25, 1866, daughter of Arthur Page Forbes and Theresa Otis James. He died June 27, 1925, at St. Louis, Mo.

Children: 3 (Funsten):—

52. i. **Arthur Forbes,**[4] born March 13, 1889, at St. Louis, Mo.; died March 1, 1913, at Minneapolis, Minn.

53. ii. **Kenneth Meade,**[4] born Dec. 26, 1890, at St. Louis, Mo.; married April 25, 1914,

at St. Louis, Mo., to Florence Hill, born June 30, 1890, daughter of John Hill and Margaret Barker. No children.

+54. iii. **Florence Forbes,**[4] born Jan. 24, 1902, at St. Louis, Mo.

**18.** JAMES JOHNSTON[3] FUNSTEN, born 1856; married in Jan., 1884, at Denver, Colo., to Minnie Moore, born at Columbus, Miss., the daughter of Joseph Gregory Moore and Elizabeth Glover. He died Nov. 20, 1892, at St. Louis, Mo. Children: 3 (Funsten), all born at St. Louis, Mo.

+55. i. **James Johnston,**[4] born Jan. 7, 1885.

+56. ii. **Reed,**[4] born Nov. 3, 1887.

+57. iii. **Betty Glover,**[4] born Feb. 15, 1890.

**20.** LIZZIE LEE[3] FUNSTEN, born 1859; married April 29, 1884, at Baltimore, Md., to Rev. Edwin Hinks, born April 2, 1858. Living, 1926. Son: Edwin Randolph Hinks.

**22.** RICHARD KIDDER[3] FUNSTEN, born 1861; moved west in his youth; married there but had no children; died March 6, 1922, in Arizona.

**24.** EMILY RIDGWAY[3] FUNSTEN, born 1864; married April 12, 1899, at Baltimore, Md., to Robert Marion Ward, her cousin, son of George W. Ward and Julia Anne Funsten (No. 6 of this record). No children.

## FOURTH GENERATION

**26.** MAY FUNSTEN[4] REED, born 1872; married April 20, 1892 to Montrose Pallen McArdle, born Feb. 1, 1868. Children: 2 (McArdle):—

+58. i. **Montrose Pallen,**[5] born Jan. 23, 1894.

59. ii. **Meade,**[5] born July 20, 1906.

27. VIRGINIA RITCHIE[4] REED, married B. Bransford Clarke.
Child: 1 (Clarke):—

+60. i. **Ada Bransford.**[5]

28. ANNE PARAMORE[4] REED, married G. Rabb Noble.
Children: 2 (Noble):—

61. i. **Mary Catherine.**[5]

62. ii. **Dorothy.**[5]

30. BENJAMIN EVERARD[4] REED, married Anna C. Addington.
Children: 3 (Reed):—

63. i. **William Everard.**[5]

64. ii. **Mary Funsten.**[5]

65. iii. **Nelson.**[5]

31. DOROTHY[4] REED, married William Barret Frost. Son, Philip Reed Frost.

33. REV. WILLIAM PAGE[4] DAME, born 1875; married Nov. 12, 1903, Josephine Putney, daughter of Stephen Putney and Ellie Withers.
Children: 4 (Dame):—

66. i. **Elsie Withers,**[5] born March 10, 1905; died Jan. 24, 1906.

67. ii. **William Page,**[5] **Jr.,** born March 4, 1907.

68. iii. **Josephine,**[5] born Dec. 26, 1910.

69. iv. **Elizabeth Lee,**[5] born Dec. 6, 1913.

34. RANDOLPH NELSON[4] DAME, born 1880; married Dec., 1918, Juliet Robson, daughter of Arthur and Juliet Robson. Child: 1 (Dame):—

70. i. **William Meade,**[5] II, born Dec. 25, 1919.

**37.** HORTENSE[4] FUNSTEN, born 1876; married first, at St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 25, 1897, Arthur Henry Forbes, son of Arthur Page Forbes and Theresa Otis James, and brother of Alice Forbes who married William Fitzhugh Funsten (No. 17 of this record). He was born at St. Louis, Mo., in Nov., 1871, and died at Waco, Texas, April 19, 1899. Hortense (Funsten) Forbes married second at St. Louis, Mo., on July 12, 1905, Herbert Durand, born July 1, 1858, at Malone, N. Y., son of Albert Hobbs and Adelia Durand. Residence, Bronxville, New York.

Children: 2. Child by first husband (Forbes):—

71. i. **Florence Funsten,**[5] born Oct. 26, 1898, at St. Louis, Mo.

Child by second husband (Durand):—

72. ii. **Eugene Funsten,**[5] born Sept. 16, 1906, at St. Louis, Mo.; Princeton, 1928.

**38.** ROBERT EMMETT[4] FUNSTEN, JR., born 1878; married June 12, 1901, at Leesburg, Va., to Nancy Vandeventer, born May 19, 1878, daughter of Townsend Vandeventer and Nancy R. Janney.

Children: 2 (Funsten), born at St. Louis, Mo.:—

73. i. **Robert Emmett,**[5] III, born Sept. 15, 1905.

74. ii. **Vivian Vandeventer,**[5] born Aug. 23, 1908.

**39.** FITZHUGH LEE[4] FUNSTEN, born 1880; married first, June 5, 1903, at Edwardsville, Ill., Irene Routh; married second, Jan. 4, 1912, at Kansas City, Mo., Lucile Manson; married third, June 15, 1922, at Kansas City, Mo., Lucile Stocker.

Children: 2 (Funsten). First by first marriage; second by second marriage:—

75. i. **Irene,**[5] born August 5, 1904, at St. Louis, Mo.; married twice, but no children by either marriage.

Hortense Funsten. Now Mrs. Herbert Durand

Florence Funsten Forbes

From portraits by Mary Fairchild Low

76. ii. **Virginia Lee,**[5] born Oct. 6, 1912, at Kansas City, Mo.

41. EUGENE M.[4] FUNSTEN, born 1885; married June 14, 1914, at St. Louis, Mo., to Holmes Thomson, born Nov. 6, 1887, daughter of William H. Thomson and Annie Horgadine. No children.

42. EDWARD SAUNDERS[4] FUNSTEN, born 1888; married June 3, 1916, at St. Louis, Mo., to Gladys McNair, born Oct. 29, 1894, daughter of Alexander C. McNair and Ada Warren.
Children: 2 (Funsten), born at St. Louis, Mo.:—

77. i. **Elizabeth Warren,**[5] born Dec. 11, 1917.

78. ii. **Edward Saunders,**[5] **Jr.,** born Nov. 11, 1921.

44. RANDOLPH FAIRFAX[4] FUNSTEN, born 1895; Princeton, 1917; married Dec. 10, 1917, at Kansas City, Mo., to Gladys Beamish, born Jan. 14, 1895, daughter of George Beamish and Anna King.
Children: 2 (Funsten), born at St. Louis, Mo.:—

79. i. **Georganne,**[5] born Feb. 3, 1921.

80. ii. **Randolph Fairfax,**[5] **Jr.,** born March 13, 1926.

54. FLORENCE FORBES[4] FUNSTEN, born 1902; married April 25, 1922, at St. Louis, Mo., to Alfred W. Brown, born March 23, 1887, son of Charles Swing Brown and Sarah Warren.
Children: 2 (Brown). born at St. Louis, Mo.

81. i. Infant daughter, born Sept. 15, 1924; died following day.

82. ii. **Florence Funsten,**[5] born Oct. 31, 1926.

55. JAMES JOHNSTON[4] FUNSTEN, born 1885; married May 12, 1918, at San Francisco, Cal., to Florence Wendling, daughter of George X. Wendling and Inez Cross.

Children: 2 (Funsten), born at San Francisco, Cal.:—

83. i. **Florence I.**[5], born Jan. 19, 1921.

84. ii. **Patricia,**[5] born Nov. 28, 1925.

**56.** REED[4] FUNSTEN, born 1887; married Dec. 7, 1921, at San Francisco, Cal., to Gladys Little, daughter of William Little and Edith Johnston.
Children: 2 (Funsten):—

85. i. **Kenneth Reed,**[5] born Feb. 3, 1923, at San Francisco, Cal.

86. ii. **Reed Little,**[5] born July 24, 1926, at San Francisco. Cal.

**57.** BETTY GLOVER[5] FUNSTEN, born 1890; married June 9, 1920, at San Francisco, Cal., to William Flye, born in Boston, Mass.
Children: 2 (Flye), born at San Francisco, Cal.:—

87. i. **Betty,**[5] born March, 1921.

88. ii. **Georgia Moore,**[5] born Sept. 28, 1925.

## FIFTH GENERATION

**58.** MONTROSE PALLEN[5] McARDLE, II, born 1894; married Carol Coggeshall.
Children: 2 (McArdle):—

89. i. **Montrose Pallen,**[6] III, born April 10, 1916.

90. ii. **John Coggeshall,**[6] born Aug. 13, 1917.

**60.** ADA BRANSFORD[5] CLARKE, married Leonard Brown.
Child: 1 (Brown):—

91. i. **Virginia Lee.**[6]

*Authorities:* Mrs. Edwin Hinks (No. 20 of this record).
Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Ward (No. 24 of this record).

Mr. Robert Emmett Funsten (No. 15 of this record).

Mrs. Herbert Durand (No. 37 of this record).

Old family papers.

*History of the Lower Shenandoah Valley*, by J. E. Norris.

*History of Clarke County, Va.*, by Thomas H. Gold.

*Old Chapel, Clarke County, Va.*

## BARRINGTON

Thomas Barrington — Winifred Pole
Sir Francis Barrington — Joan Cromwell
Joan Barrington — Sir Richard Everard
Sir Richard Everard — Elizabeth Gibbs
Sir Hugh Everard — Mary Brown
Sir Richard Everard — Susannah Kidder
Susannah Everard — David Meade
Richard Kidder Meade — Mary Grymes
David Meade — Louisa Washington Nelson
Susan Everard Meade — David Funsten

THOMAS BARRINGTON was the son of John Barrington, Esqr., and married as his second wife Winifred Pole (of royal descent; No. 77 on chart), who was a daughter of Henry Pole, Lord Montague, and a granddaughter of Sir Richard Pole and his wife Margaret Plantagenet, Countess of Salisbury, "the last of the Plantagenets." Their son

SIR FRANCIS BARRINGTON, Knt. M. P. for Essex; died 1628; married Joan Cromwell, aunt of the Protector. Their daughter

JOAN BARRINGTON married Sir Richard Everard (see Everard).

*Authorities: Andrew Meade of Ireland and Virginia.*
*New England Hist. & Gen. Register*, Vol. XLIII, p. 320.

# CARTER

*Arms:* Argent a chevron between three cart wheels vert.
*Crest:* On a mount vert a greyhound sejant argent, sustaining a shield of the last charged with a cart wheel vert.

John Carter — Sarah Ludlow
Robert Carter — Elizabeth Landon
Lucy Carter — Col. Henry Fitzhugh
Elizabeth Landon Fitzhugh — Benjamin Grymes
Mary Grymes — Richard Kidder Meade
David Meade — Louisa Washington Nelson
Susan Everard Meade — David Funsten

JOHN CARTER, born in England, died in Virginia, June 10, 1669. Member of the House of Burgesses, and Commander-in-Chief of the forces sent against the Indians.

Married three times. His first wife was Jane Glyn; his second Ann Carter; and his third Sarah Ludlow, daughter of Gabriel and Phillis Ludlow. The Ludlow arms are: Argent a chevron between three martins' heads erased sable. Crest: A demi martin rampant sable. Motto: "Omne solum forte partia." His son by his third wife

ROBERT CARTER, "King Carter," of "Corotoman," was born in 1663 and died in 1732. His first wife was Judith Armistead, who died Feb. 23, 1699. In 1701 he married second Elizabeth (Landon) Willis, widow of Richard Willis, and daughter of Thomas and Mary Landon. She was born in 1683–4 at Credenhill, Hereford, England, and died July 3, 1719. Landon arms:—Gyronny of eight or and azure, an inescutcheon argent. Crest: A lizard proper. Motto: "Ma force d'en haut." Her tombstone inscription reads:—

"She was a person of great and exemplary piety and charity in every relation wherein she stood—whether considered as a Christian, a wife, a mother, a mistress, a neighbor, or a friend, her conduct was equalled by few, excelled by none. She changed this life for a better on the 3d of July 1710 (1719?) in the 36th year of her age and 19th of her marriage. May her descendants make their mother's virtues and graces the pattern of their lives and actions."

Their daughter

LUCY CARTER, married first Col. Henry Fitzhugh (see Fitzhugh), and married second Col. Nathaniel Harrison.

*Authorities:* *Virginia Heraldica.*
*Lee of Virginia*, pp. 356–358.
*Portraits of the Founders*, p. 111.

## CLARKE

Francis Clarke — Deborah Gedney
Deborah Clarke — William Fairfax
Hannah Fairfax — Warner Washington
Catherine Washington — Dr. John Nelson
Louisa Washington Nelson — David Meade
Susan Everard Meade — David Funsten

FRANCIS CLARKE, born in England, died in Salem, Mass., May 9, 1727. He married Oct. 16, 1701, Deborah Gedney, daughter of Bartholomew Gedney and Hannah Clarke (see Gedney). They had seven children, the fourth of whom was

DEBORAH CLARKE, born Jan. 31, 1708, at Boston, Mass.; married, as his second wife, on Oct. 28, 1731, William Fairfax (see Fairfax).

*Authority:* Essex Institute Historical Collections, Vol. XVI.

## CROMWELL

Morgan Williams — ———, sister of Thomas, Lord Cromwell
Sir Richard Cromwell — Frances Murphin
Sir Henry Cromwell — Joan ———
Joan Cromwell — Sir Francis Barrington
Joan Barrington — Sir Richard Everard
Sir Richard Everard — Elizabeth Gibbs
Sir Hugh Everard — Mary Brown
Sir Richard Everard — Susannah Kidder
Susannah Everard — David Meade
Richard Kidder Meade — Mary Grymes
David Meade — Louisa Washington Nelson
Susan Everard Meade — David Funsten

MORGAN WILLIAMS, of Llan, Newidel Co., Caermet, Wales, married a sister of Thomas, Lord Cromwell. Their son

SIR RICHARD CROMWELL, alias Williams, of Hinchinbroke, married Frances, daughter of Sir Thomas Murphin, Lord Mayor of London. Their son

SIR HENRY CROMWELL married first Joan (surname unknown), and had numerous children, of whom the youngest was Robert Cromwell, who married Elizabeth Steward, and was the father of Oliver Cromwell, the Protector. Sir Henry's daughter

JOAN CROMWELL married Sir Francis Barrington (see Barrington). The "New England Register" gives two letters written by Roger Williams to Lady Joan Barrington,

in which it appears that Roger Williams had been repulsed by Lady Barrington's niece.

*Authorities:* *Andrew Meade of Ireland and Virginia.*
*New England Hist. & Gen. Register*, Vol. XLIII, pp. 315–320.

## EVERARD

*Arms:* Argent, a fess wavy, between estoiles, gules.
*Crest:* On a wreath, a bust of a man in profile, habited in a long cap, checky.

Sir Richard Everard — Joan Barrington
Sir Richard Everard — Elizabeth Gibbs
Sir Hugh Everard — Mary Brown
Sir Richard Everard — Susannah Kidder
Susannah Everard — David Meade
Richard Kidder Meade — Mary Grymes
David Meade — Louisa Washington Nelson
Susan Everard Meade — David Funsten.

SIR RICHARD EVERARD was in the 10th generation from Ralph Everard, who lived in the reigns of Henry III and Edward I. He was created a Baronet by Charles I, Jan. 29, 1628. He married first Joan Barrington (of royal

descent; No. 85 on chart), daughter of Sir Francis Barrington (see Barrington); and married second Frances, daughter of Sir Robert Lee. A son by his first wife was

SIR RICHARD EVERARD, second Baronet, born 1624, died 1694; who married first Elizabeth Gibbs, daughter of Sir Henry Gibbs of Faulkland; and second, Jane Finnett. By his first wife he had a son

SIR HUGH EVERARD, third Baronet, born 1655, died 1706; who married Mary Brown, daughter of Dr. John Brown of Salisbury. Their son

SIR RICHARD EVERARD, fourth Baronet, was Colonial Governor of North Carolina. He married Susannah Kidder, daughter of Sir Richard Kidder (see Kidder), on June 13, 1706, at the Church of St. Alphage, London, England. He died Feb. 17, 1732, at London, and she died Sept. 12, 1739. Among their children was

SUSANNAH EVERARD, who married in 1731, David Meade (see Meade).

*Authorities: Andrew Meade of Ireland and Virginia.*
*Chaumiere Papers.*

# FAIRFAX

*Arms:* Argent (American books give "Or"), three bars genelles gules surmounted by a lion rampant sable.

*Crest:* A lion passant guardant sable.

*Supporters:* Dexter, a lion guardant sable; sinister, a bay horse.

*Motto:* "Fare Fac."

Sir William Fairfax — Isabella Thwaites
Sir Thomas Fairfax — Dorothy Gale
Sir Thomas Fairfax — Ellen Aske
Henry Fairfax — Mary Cholmeley
Henry Fairfax — Frances Barwick
Henry Fairfax — Anne Harrison
William Fairfax — Deborah Clarke
Hannah Fairfax — Warner Washington
Catherine Washington — Dr. John Nelson
Louisa Washington Nelson — David Meade
Susan Everard Meade — David Funsten

SIR WILLIAM FAIRFAX of Steeton Co., York, married Isabella, daughter of John Thwaites of Denton. Their son

SIR THOMAS FAIRFAX, died Jan. 28, 1599–1600. He married Dorothy, daughter of George Gale, a goldsmith, Lord Mayor of York. Their son

SIR THOMAS FAIRFAX, born 1560, died 1640; knighted September, 1591, before Rouen by the Earl of Essex; created LORD FAIRFAX OF CAMERON Oct. 18, 1629; married 1582, Ellen, daughter of Robert Aske and Elizabeth, daughter of Sir John Dawnay. Their son

HON. AND REV. HENRY FAIRFAX, Rector of Bolton Percy, Co. York, died 1665, aged 77. Married Mary Cholmeley (of royal descent; No. 87 on chart), daughter of Sir Henry Cholmeley. Their son

HENRY FAIRFAX, fourth Lord Fairfax of Cameron, born 1631, died 1688; married Frances, daughter of Sir Robert Barwick and Ursula, daughter of Walter Strickland. Their son

HON. HENRY FAIRFAX, of Toulston, Co. York, born 1659, died 1708; married 1684, Anne, daughter of Richard Harrison. Their son

WILLIAM FAIRFAX, baptized Oct., 1691, died Sept. 3, 1757; agent for his cousin Thomas, 6th Lord Fairfax, proprietor of Northern Neck in Virginia; first went to the Bahamas, then to Massachusetts; left Massachusetts for Virginia in 1734, where he built "Belvoir," on the Potomac; married first March 27, 1723–4 Sarah, daughter of Major Thomas Walker, of Nassau, Bahamas, by whom he had four children:

i. **George William,** born 1724; close friend of George Washington; married Sarah Cary, daughter of Wilson Cary; died in Bath, England, April 3, 1787.

ii. **Thomas,** born 1726; killed on board the ship of war *Harwich*, in an action with

the French squadron in the West Indies, in 1746.

iii. **Anne,** born 1728 at Salem, Mass.; married first July 19, 1743, Lawrence Washington, elder brother of George Washington; married second Colonel George Lee.

iv. **Sarah,** born 1729; died 1761; married John Carlyle.

William Fairfax married second Oct. 28, 1731, Deborah Clarke, daughter of Francis Clarke (see Clarke), by whom he had three more children:—

v. **Bryan,** born 1736; took holy orders in 1789; became 8th Lord Fairfax of Cameron in 1793; married first Elizabeth, daughter of Wilson Cary (sister of George William Fairfax's wife); married, second, Jenny Dennison. Died August 7, 1802, at "Mount Eagle," near Cameron, Va.

vi. **William Henry,** born 1739; killed at the siege of Quebec, Sept. 13, 1759.

vii. **Hannah.** This daughter

HANNAH FAIRFAX, born Aug., 1742, at "Belvoir," Va., died May 29, 1804. She married May 10, 1764, as his second wife, Warner Washington (see Washington). George Washington in his will left her a mourning ring, "of the value of one hundred dollars."

*Authorities:* *The Complete Peerage*, Vol. V., pp. 229–234.
Essex Institute Historical Collections, Vol. XVI.
*Virginia Heraldica.*
*Colonial Families in America*, Vol. II, pp. 264–279.
*Writings of George Washington*, Vol. I, p. 124; Vol. 14, p. 287.

# FAIRFAX FAMILY CHART

SIR THOMAS FAIRFAX, 1st Lord Fairfax of Cameron, 1560–1640; mar. 1582 Ellen Aske

- SIR FERDINANDO FAIRFAX, 2d Lord
  1584–1647/8
  mar. Mary Sheffield
  - SIR THOMAS FAIRFAX, 3d Lord
    1611/2–1671
    mar. Anne Vere
    (see Encyclo. Brit.)
    - THOMAS FAIRFAX, 5th Lord
      1657–1709/10
      mar. Catherine Colepeper
      - THOMAS FAIRFAX
        6th Lord 1692–1781
        To Virginia 1747
        Blt "Greenway Court"
      - ROBERT FAIRFAX
        7th Lord 1767–1793
        m. 1st Martha Collins
        m. 2nd Dorothy Best
    - others
  - others
- Rev. Henry Fairfax
  1588–1665
  mar. Mary Cholmeley
  - HENRY FAIRFAX, 4th Lord
    1631–1688
    mar. Frances Barwick
    - Henry Fairfax
      1659–1708
      mar. Anne Harrison
      - William Fairfax
        1691–1757
        mar. 1st Sarah Walker
        - George William Fairfax
          1724–1787
          mar. Sarah Cary
        - Thomas Fairfax
          1726–1746
        - Anne Fairfax
          mar. 1st Lawrence Washington
          mar. 2d George Lee
        - Sarah Fairfax
          mar. John Carlyle
          - Sarah Carlyle
            mar. Wm. Herbert
        - BRYAN FAIRFAX
          8th Lord
          1736–1802
          mar. 1st Elizabeth Cary
          - THOMAS FAIRFAX
            9th Lord *de jure*
            1762–1846
            mar. 1st Mary Aylett
            mar. 2nd Louisa, dau. Warner Washington
            mar. 3rd Margaret, dau. Wm. & Sarah (Carlyle) Herbert (above)
            - Albert Fairfax
              1802–1835
              mar. Caroline Eliza Snowden
              - CHARLES SNOWDEN FAIRFAX
                10th Lord *de jure*
                1829–1869
                mar. Ada Benham
              - JOHN CONTEE FAIRFAX
                11th Lord *de jure*
                1830–1900
                mar. Mary Brown Kirby
                - ALBERT KIRBY FAIRFAX
                  12th Lord
                  1870–
                - others
            - others
          - others
        - William Henry Fairfax
          1739–1759
        - Hannah Fairfax
          1742–1804
          mar. Warner Washington
          - Catherine Washington
            1769–1845
            mar. 1st Dr. John Nelson
            mar. 2nd John Milton
            - Louisa Washington Nelson
              1796–1853
              mar. David Meade
              - Susan Everard Meade
                1824–1872
                mar. David Funsten
                - Robert Emmett Funsten
                  1851–
                  mar. Charlotte Elizabeth Cook
                - others
              - others
            - others
          - Louisa Washington
            1775–1798
            mar. Thomas 9th Lord Fairfax
          - others
        - others
      - others
    - Bryan Fairfax
      1633–1711
  - others
- others

# FITZHUGH

*Arms:* Azure three chevrons brased in base interlaced or, a chief of the last.

*Crest:* On a cap of maintenance a wyvern, wings expanded argent.

*Motto:* "Pro patria semper."

Col. William Fitzhugh — Sarah Tucker
William Fitzhugh — Ann Lee
Col. Henry Fitzhugh — Lucy Carter
Elizabeth Landon Fitzhugh — Benjamin Grymes
Mary Grymes — Richard Kidder Meade
David Meade — Louisa Washington Nelson
Susan Everard Meade — David Funsten

COLONEL WILLIAM FITZHUGH of "Bedford," son of Henry and Mary Fitzhugh of Bedford, England; baptized

Jan. 10, 1650–1 at St. Paul's; came to Virginia about 1670; was Lieut. Col. of Militia and member of the House of Burgesses; married May 1, 1674, Sarah Tucker, daughter of John and Rose Tucker, born Aug. 2, 1663, in Westmoreland Co., Va., hence she was not quite eleven years old at the time of her marriage. They had five children: William, Henry, Thomas, George and John. Col. William Fitzhugh died at "Bedford," Va., in Oct., 1701.

WILLIAM FITZHUGH of "Eagles Nest," married Ann Lee, daughter of Richard Lee and Loetitia Corbin (see Lee). He died in 1713–4, and she married second Capt. Daniel McCarty, and died in 1732. William and Ann (Lee) Fitzhugh had one son, Henry, and two daughters, Lettice, who married George Turberville in 1727, and Sarah, who married Edward Barradall in 1736.

COLONEL HENRY FITZHUGH, married Lucy Carter, daughter of Robert ("King") Carter and Elizabeth Landon (see Carter). Was a member of the House of Burgesses. His son William married Anne Randolph (sister of Mary Grymes' first husband William Randolph), who had a daughter Mary Lee Fitzhugh who married George Washington Parke Custis (grandson of Martha Daindridge Custis, wife of George Washington), and were the parents of Mary Ann Randolph Custis, wife of Robert E. Lee. Col. Henry Fitzhugh's daughter,

ELIZABETH LANDON FITZHUGH, born April 20, 1731, married Benjamin Grymes of "Smithfield" in 1747 (see Grymes).

*Authorities: Old Churches and Families of Virginia*, Vol. II, pp. 192–196.
*Virginia Heraldica.*
*Lee of Virginia*, pp. 82, 89–90.
*Portraits of the Founders*, p. 135.
*Ancestral Records and Portraits*, p. 755.

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## GEDNEY

*Arms:* Three eagles displayed.
*Crest:* An eagle displayed.

John Gedney — Mary ———
Bartholomew Gedney — Hannah Clarke
Deborah Gedney — Francis Clarke
Deborah Clarke — William Fairfax
Hannah Fairfax — Warner Washington
Catherine Washington — Dr. John Nelson
Louisa Washington Nelson — David Meade
Susan Everard Meade — David Funsten

JOHN GEDNEY, probably born in England; married Mary (maiden name unknown), and had three children born in England and four in America. He was an inhabitant of Salem, Mass., in 1637. He married second, Catherine, the widow of William Clarke, and died at Salem Aug. 5, 1688. His son, by his first wife,

BARTHOLOMEW GEDNEY, baptized June 14, 1640, at Salem, Mass., married Oct. 22, 1662, Hannah Clarke, daughter of William and Catherine Clarke. Her father later married her husband's mother. She died Jan. 6, 1695–6, and he married second Anne, widow of William Stewart, and died Feb. 28, 1697–8. He was Judge of Probate, Essex Co., Mass.; and was Colonel and Commander-in-Chief of the military forces of the county. By his first wife he had eleven children, of whom the seventh was

DEBORAH GEDNEY, bap. Nov. 25, 1677, at Salem, Mass., married Oct. 16, 1701, Francis Clarke (see Clarke).

*Authority:* Essex Institute Historical Collections, Vol. XVI.

## GRYMES

*Arms:* Or, a bordure engrailed azure on a chief sable three escallops argent.
*Crest:* A pair of wings addorsed or.

Rev. Charles Grymes —
Major John Grymes — Alice Townley
Colonel John Grymes — Lucy Ludwell
Benjamin Grymes — Elizabeth Landon Fitzhugh
Mary Grymes — Richard Kidder Meade
David Meade — Louisa Washington Nelson
Susan Everard Meade — David Funsten

REV. CHARLES GRYMES, the emigrant ancestor of the Grymes family, emigrated before 1644. The name of his wife is unknown. He left a daughter who married Robert Taliaferro, and a son

MAJOR JOHN GRYMES, born 1660; married Alice Townley, daughter of Lawrence Townley and Sarah Warner (see Warner); died Aug. 28, 1709. His son Charles Grymes was the father of the "Lowland Beauty," Lucy Grymes, who married Henry Lee. They were the grandparents of Gen. Robert E. Lee. Major John Grymes' son

COLONEL JOHN GRYMES of "Brandon," born 1691, married Dec. 22, 1715, at "Green Spring," Va., Lucy Ludwell, daughter of Col. Philip Ludwell and Hannah Harrison (see Ludwell). John Grymes was a member of the House of Burgesses for Middlesex County; was Auditor-General in 1718, and was Receiver General from 1723 until his death. He died Nov. 2, 1748, and his wife died March 3, 1749. The

remains of their tombstones are at Christ Church, Middlesex, and copies of the inscriptions may be seen in the Virginia Magazine of History and Biography, Vol. 27, page 405. They had ten children, of whom the seventh was

BENJAMIN GRYMES of "Smithfield," born Feb. 19, 1725; married first Feb. 12 (*Lee of Virginia*) or Sept. 11 (*Virginia Magazine*, Vol. XXVIII, page 188), 1747, Elizabeth Landon Fitzhugh, daughter of Col. Henry Fitzhugh and Lucy Carter (see Fitzhugh). He settled near Fredericksburg and had large ironworks. He married second Priscilla Rootes, daughter of Major Philip Rootes, and had six children. By his first marriage he had two children, a son Benjamin, and a daughter

MARY GRYMES, born Nov. 9, 1753; married first William[4] Randolph (Peter[3] Randolph and Lucy Bolling; William[2] Randolph and Elizabeth Beverly; William[1] Randolph and Mary Isham), of "Chatsworth." The name is often given as Peter, but Bishop Meade proves that William is correct in his "Old Churches and Families of Virginia." She married second, Dec. 10, 1780, Richard Kidder Meade (see Meade), and died June 16, 1813. As the widow of William Randolph she made a large contribution, eight hundred dollars, to the Revolutionary cause. "Perhaps," as Bishop Meade ingenuously says, "this circumstance may have first attracted my father's attention to her."

*Authorities: Old Churches and Families of Virginia*, Vol. I, pp. 294–5, 370–1.
*Virginia Heraldica.*
*Lee of Virginia*, pp. 297–9.
*Virginia Magazine of History and Biography*, Vols. XXVII and XXVIII.

## HARRISON

*Arms:* Azure two bars ermine, between five estoiles, three, two and one, argent.

Benjamin Harrison — Mary ———
Benjamin Harrison — Hannah ———
Hannah Harrison — Col. Philip Ludwell
Lucy Ludwell — Col. John Grymes
Benjamin Grymes — Elizabeth Landon Fitzhugh
Mary Grymes — Richard Kidder Meade
David Meade — Louisa Washington Nelson
Susan Everard Meade — David Funsten

BENJAMIN HARRISON, the progenitor of the family in America, married Mary (maiden name unknown). He was Clerk of the Council 1633–4, Member of the House of Burgesses 1642. Died between 1643 and 1649. His widow married second Benjamin Sidway. Benjamin's son

HON. BENJAMIN HARRISON of "Wakefield," born, Sept. 20, 1645; married Hannah (maiden name unknown) born Feb. 13, 1651–2, died Feb. 16, 1698–9. He was a Justice of Surry in 1671, Sheriff 1679, Member of the House of Burgesses 1680 and 1682, and member of the Council from 1698 until his death. He died Jan. 30, 1712–3, and was buried at the old church at Cabin Point. Their daughter

HANNAH HARRISON, born Dec. 15, 1678, at Indian Fields, Surry Co., Va.; married Nov. 11, 1697, Col. Philip Ludwell (see Ludwell).

*Authorities:* *Virginia Heraldica.*
*Virginia Magazine of History and Biography,* Vol. XXX, pp. 408–412; Vol. XXXI, p. 83.

## JOB

Andrew Job — Elizabeth
Andrew Job — Elizabeth Vernon
Patience Job — Robert McKay
Andrew McKay — Jane Ridgway
Margaret McKay — Oliver Funsten
David Funsten — Susan Everard Meade

ANDREW JOB, "according to a tradition which was committed to writing at least a century ago," and Elizabeth, his wife, from Kent, England, arrived at Portsmouth, N. H., about 1650, having a son,

ANDREW JOB, born to them on ship board. He made his appearance at Chester, Pa., in 1692, among the Quakers, and declared his intention of marriage with Elizabeth Vernon at two successive meetings. He was Sheriff of the county, 1697–1701, and clerk of Chester Monthly Meeting. About 1704 he removed to the new settlement of Nottingham, on the borders of Maryland, where he died in 1722. He had eleven children, the youngest of whom was

PATIENCE JOB, born 1710, Chester Co., Pa.; married Robert McKay (see McKay).

*Authorities:* *The Sharpless Family*, p. 321.
Miss Edith W. Smith, Denver, Colo.

## KIDDER

Sir Richard Kidder —
Susannah Kidder — Sir Richard Everard
Susannah Everard — David Meade
Richard Kidder Meade — Mary Grymes
David Meade — Louisa Washington Nelson
Susan Everard Meade — David Funsten

SIR RICHARD KIDDER, the Bishop of Bath and Wells, was born in 1633 in Sussex, England. He served as parish clergymen in different places before he was appointed Bishop. In his first parish he had three children, and lost them all by death there. Afterwards other children were born, and two sons and one daughter died within three weeks. On the accession of William and Mary he was recommended to the bishopric of Bath and Wells, to take the place of good Bishop Ken, who refused to take the oath of allegiance, maintaining the claim of James II. At first he refused it, but was finally prevailed upon to accept, and was consecrated in the Bow Bells Church, Holborn, London, and assumed the work in 1691. Bishop Kidder and his wife were killed during the terrible storm of Nov. 26, 1703, by the falling of a stack of chimneys, which crushed in the roof of the room where they were sleeping. In this same storm the first Eddystone lighthouse, completed in 1699, was destroyed. There is a monument to Bishop Kidder in Wells Cathedral. The bishop was survived by two daughters, Ann, who died in 1728, aged 38, unmarried, and

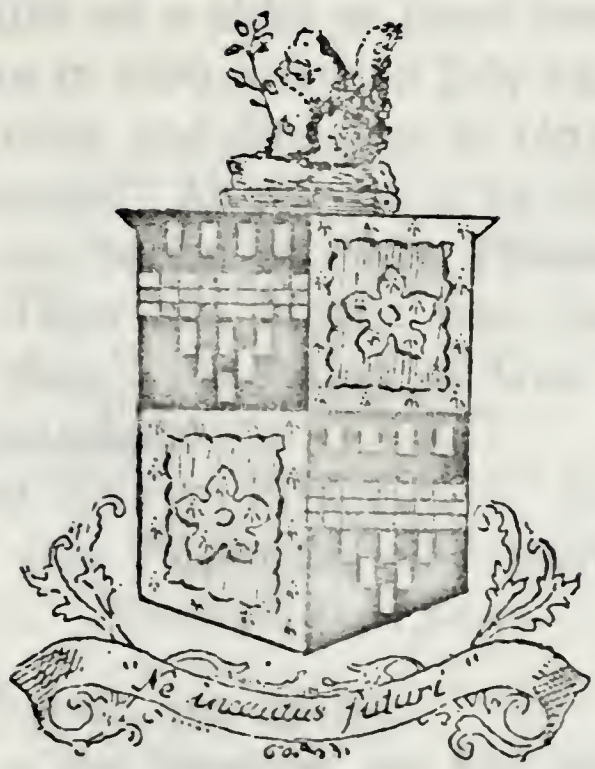
Sir Richard Kidder, 1633-1703
Bishop of Bath and Wells

From "Andrew Meade of Ireland and Virginia"

SUSANNAH KIDDER, who married June 13, 1706, in the Church of St. Alphage, London, England, Sir Richard Everard, fourth Baronet (see Everard).

*Authorities: Andrew Meade of Ireland and Virginia.*

# LEE




*Arms:* Gules a fesse chequy azure and or between ten billets argent, four in chief, three, two and one in base.

*Crest:* On a staff raguly, lying fessways, a squirrel sejant proper cracking a nut; from the dexter end of the staff a hazel branch vert, fructed or.

*Motto:* "Ne incautus futuri."

(The arms illustrated above quartered with Astley.)

Richard Lee — Anna ———
Richard Lee — Loetitia Corbin
Ann Lee — William Fitzhugh
Col. Henry Fitzhugh — Lucy Carter
Elizabeth Landon Fitzhugh — Benjamin Grymes
Mary Grymes — Richard Kidder Meade
David Meade — Louisa Washington Nelson
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RICHARD LEE, born 1597; came to Virginia 1641; died April 20, 1664. Justice, Burgess, Councillor. His

wife was Anna (maiden name unknown), who after his death married Edmund Lister. One of their eight children was

RICHARD LEE, born 1647; educated at Oxford; married Loetitia Corbin, born 1657, the daughter of Henry Corbin and his wife Alice (Eltonhead) Burnham. The Corbin arms were: Sable on a chief or three ravens proper. Henry Corbin was born in 1629; married July 25, 1645; emigrated to Virginia in 1654, and died Jan. 8, 1675. Richard Lee died at "Mt. Pleasant" March 12, 1714; his wife died Oct. 6, 1706. Both are buried at "Mt. Pleasant," Westmoreland Co., Va. Their son Henry was the father of "Light Horse Harry Lee," the father of Gen. Robert E. Lee. Richard Lee's daughter

ANN LEE married William Fitzhugh of "Eagles Nest" as her first husband (see Fitzhugh), and married second Capt. Daniel McCarty. She died in 1732.

*Authorities: Lee of Virginia*, pp. 49–85.
*Portraits of the Founders*, pp. 858, 869.
*Virginia Heraldica.*
*Ancestral Records and Portraits*, pp. 453–458.

# LUDWELL

*Arms:* Gules on a bend argent between two towers or, three eagles displayed sable.
*Motto:* "I pensieri stretti edil viso sciolto."

Thomas Ludwell — Jane Cottington
Philip Ludwell — Lucy Higginson
Col. Philip Ludwell — Hannah Harrison
Lucy Ludwell — Col. John Grymes
Benjamin Grymes — Elizabeth Landon Fitzhugh
Mary Grymes — Richard Kidder Meade
David Meade — Louisa Washington Nelson
Susan Everard Meade — David Funsten

THOMAS LUDWELL, of Bruton, Somertshire, England, married Jane Cottington, daughter of James Cottington, of Discoe, in Bruton Parish, England, who was the

son of Philip Cottington of Godminster. They had two sons, Thomas, who was the Secretary of Virginia in 1660, and

PHILIP LUDWELL, who was Deputy Secretary of Virginia 1675–77, and Governor of both the Carolinas. Married first, as her third husband, Lucy Higginson, born about 1630, died Nov. 6, 1675, daughter of Robert Higginson and Joanna Tokesay, and widow of Major Lewis Burwell and Col. William Barnard. He married second, also as her third husband, Philippa Frances (Culpepper), Lady Berkeley, widow of Samuel Stevens and Sir William Berkeley. He died about 1724 in England. By his first wife he had a son

COLONEL PHILIP LUDWELL, II., of "Greenspring" and "Rich Neck," born Feb. 4, 1672; married Nov. 11, 1697, Hannah Harrison, daughter of the Hon. Benjamin and his wife Hannah (see Harrison). He was a member of the Virginia Assembly 1688–1697, and one of the Council in 1702. He was Speaker of the House of Burgesses 1695, and Auditor General 1711–16. Col. Ludwell died Jan. 11, 1726–7, and his wife died April 4, 1731. It is probable that the so-called portraits of Lord and Lady Berkeley represent Col. Philip Ludwell and his wife Hannah Harrison. Their daughter

LUCY LUDWELL, born Nov. 2, 1698; married Dec. 22, 1715, Colonel John Grymes of "Brandon" (see Grymes).

*Authorities:* *Lee of Virginia*, p. 458.
*Virginia Heraldica.*
*Portraits of the Founders*, pp. 71, 167, 837–43, 956.
*Ancestral Records and Portraits*, pp. 458–463.
*Old Churches and Families of Virginia*, Vol. II, pp. 138–9.
*Virginia Magazine of History and Biography*, Vol. XXI, p. 84.

## McKAY

Robert McKay — Margaret ———
Robert McKay — Patience Job
Andrew McKay — Jane Ridgway
Margaret McKay — Oliver Funsten
David Funsten — Susan Everard Meade

ROBERT McKAY, the emigrant, from near Belfast in Northeast Ireland, is shown by historical archives to have been in Pennsylvania in 1726 with his wife Margaret and a family of children. Ten years before that date, in 1716, the Great Valley of Virginia was first discovered as the result of the dramatic excursion of Governor Spottswood and his Knights of the Golden Horseshoe. Local historians have been able to discover that the first organized effort to colonize the Lower Valley was made by Joist Hite, the so-called German Baron, who came in 1731 from the neighborhood of York, Pa., to the Valley, with sixteen families. With him came Robert McKay and his family; and the records show that he and Joist Hite were the earliest pioneers in the settlement and development of the now far-famed Valley of the Shenandoah. On October 31, 1731, letters patent were granted by the Colonial Governor and Council to Robert McKay and Joist Hite for 100,000 acres in the Shenandoah Valley between Winchester and Front Royal, on condition that they settle thereon 100 families in four years. The condition of the grant was subsequently performed; and this large body of land was parceled and sold to many settlers. It has been well said: "In the association of McKay with Hite we see the reason for the commingling of the Germans and the Scotch-Irish in the Lower Valley."

Later 828 acres were deeded to Robert McKay individually. This tract was originally in Frederick County, but now is in Warren County, which was created in 1836. It lay upon Crooked Run, a stream less than ten miles in length, which has its source near the hamlet of Nineveh, originally called McKay's, and flows into the Shenandoah River near Riverton. The McKays were the first settlers in this particular neighborhood, which has ever since been identified with that family. It was upon a part of this property that David Funsten (No. 10 Funsten record) built, shortly after his marriage, his first home called "Erin." It is situated about four miles southwest of White Post on the old "road to McKay's," which has now become the modern State Highway from Winchester to Front Royal and thence over the Blue Ridge to Richmond. The original grant first above referred to, with subsequent minor grants, were involved in the celebrated law suit instituted by Joist Hite and Robert McKay against Lord Fairfax, Proprietor of the Northern Neck, which was pending for fifty years (1736–1786), and was finally decided in favor of the complainants long after the death of all the original parties to the litigation.

Although not certainly known, it seems very probable that a previous acquaintance existed between the Funsten and McKay families, representatives of which came to America from the same neighborhood in Ireland. It was doubtless more than a coincidence that the young emigrant, Oliver Funsten, who was soon to marry Margaret McKay, should upon his arrival in Philadelphia have gone immediately to the White Post and taken up his residence there in close proximity to the neighborhood which her ancestor, Robert McKay, had settled three generations before.

Robert McKay, the pioneer, died about August, 1752. His will is dated Oct. 7, 1746, and was probated on August 19, 1752. His children were:—

i. **Robert, Jr.** See below.
ii. **Moses.** Married Mary ———.

iii. **Mary.** Married 2 mo. 14, 1726, George Robinson.
iv. **Elizabeth.**
v. **Margaret.** Married in 1731 Joshua Job.
vi. **Hannah.** Married Dec. 19, 1734, George Hollingsworth.
vii. **James.** Married Mary ———.
viii. **Zachary** (Zachariah). Married Lydia ——
ix. **Leah.** Married first William Taylor; married second ——— Leith (?).

ROBERT McKAY, Jr., born about 1705; married Patience Job, born 1710 in Chester County, Pa., daughter of Andrew Job and Elizabeth Vernon (see Job). It was probably through this marriage that the family became Quakers. He died before 1796. Three of his children married three of the children of John Ridgway and Hannah Brown (see Ridgway). His son Jacob married Rachel Ridgway; his daughter Margaret married Richard Ridgway; and his son

ANDREW McKAY, born 12 mo. 29, 1736; married*

* Certificate of Marriage from the Book of Records of the Hopewell Monthly Meeting.

"Whereas Andrew McKay son of Robert McKay in the County of Frederick and Colony of Virginia and Jane Ridgeway, daughter of John Ridgeway of the County and Colony aforesaid have declared their intentions of taking each other in marriage before several monthly meetings of the people called Quakers at our monthly meeting of Hopewell, and having consent of parents and parties concern, their said proposal of marriage was allowed of by the said meeting. Now these are to certify all whom it may concern that for the full accomplishing their said intentions upon the 27th day of the 11th month in the year of our Lord, 1760 they, the said Andrew McKay and Jane Ridgeway, appeared in a public assembly of the said people met together at their public meeting house of Hopewell aforesaid, and the said Andrew McKay taking the said Jane Ridgeway by the hand did in a solemn manner openly declare that he took the said Jane Ridgeway to be his wife, promising with divine assistance to be unto her a loving and faithful husband until death should separate them or words to that effect. And then and there in said assembly said Jane Ridgeway did in like manner openly declare that she took the said Andrew McKay to be her husband, promising with divine assistance to be unto him a loving and faithful wife until death should separate them or words to that effect, and moreover the said Andrew McKay and Jane Ridgeway, she according to the custom of marriage assuming the surname of her husband as a further confirmation thereof, have unto these presents set their hands.

11 mo. 27, 1760, Jane Ridgway, daughter of John Ridgway and Hannah Brown (see Ridgway); died Oct. 12, 1804, at Crooked Run, near Nineveh, in Frederick Co., Va. His will was dated Oct. 30, 1802, and was probated Dec. 3, 1804. He left a large tract of real estate on Crooked Run to be divided among certain of his children. The list of their children, as given in the "Records of the Births and Deaths of the Hopewell Monthly Meeting" in Frederick Co., Va., have probably never before been published. They are:

i. **Jacob,** born 2 mo. 17, 1762; died 2 mo. 23, 1762.

ii. **Patience,** born 2 mo. 9, 1763; married Robert Whitacre.

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"And we whose names are hereunder written and subscribed being present at the solemnizing of the said marriage in manner aforesaid have as witnesses thereunto subscribed our names the day and year above written."

Andrew Mackay
Jane Mackay

Witnesses

Margaret Mackay
Mary Fallis
Mary Moore
Sidney Wright
Albenah Thomas
Rebekah Hancher
Elizabeth Ballinger
Phebe Jobe
Rebekah Haines
Martha Rees

Jacob Mackay
Richard Ridgeway
Henry Rees
Jesse Pugh
John Lupton
William Pickering
Isaac Fallis
Robert Painter
Jacob Fallis
John Ridgeway
Robert Mackay
Richard Ridgeway
Joseph Moore
Benjamin Moore
Robert Haines

In the same Book of Records above referred to is the marriage certificate of Richard Ridgeway, "son of John Ridgeway and Hannah, dec'd," and Margaret McKay, "daughter of Robert McKay and Patience McKay, dec'd," dated 12 mo. 22, 1762. In the signature Ridgeway is spelt without an "e."

It also gives the marriage certificate of Jacob McKay and Rachel Ridgway, dated 8 mo., 15, 1765.

These prove that Andrew, Margaret and Jacob, children of Robert McKay, Jr. and his wife Patience (Job), married respectively Jane, Richard and Rachel, children of John Ridgway and his wife Hannah (Brown).

iii. **Rachel,** born 12 mo. 29, 1764.
iv. **Moses,** born 10 mo. 7, 1766; married 3 mo. 3, 1793, Abigail Shinn.
v. **David,** born 9 mo. 5, 1768; died 8 mo. 30, 1773.
vi. **John,** born 12 mo. 10, 1770; died 8 mo. 1, 1773.
vii. **Jacob,** born 12 mo. 28, 1772.
viii. **Enos,** born 10 mo. 4, 1774.
ix. **Esther,** born 12 mo. 11, 1776.
x. **Margaret,** born 5 mo. 8, 1779. This daughter

MARGARET McKAY, married Oliver Funsten (No. 1, Funsten record), and died in 1843 in Winchester, Va.

*Authorities:* John Walter Wayland, *The German Element in the Settlement of the Shenandoah Valley of Virginia*, pp. 45–46.
*Pennsylvania Archives*, Second Series, Vol. XIX, p. 743.
Miss Edith W. Smith, Denver, Colorado.
Mr. Robert M. Ward, Winchester, Va.
*Abstracts of the Records of Augusta Co., Va.*, Vol. 1, pp. 53, 436; Vol. 2, p. 66; Vol. 3, p. 25.
*Virginia Historical Magazine*, Vol. XIII.
John Fontaine's *Journal of Spotswood Excursion.*

# MEADE

*Arms:* Gules, a chevron, ermine, between three trefoils slipped argent.

*Crest:* On a wreath of colors, an eagle with two heads displayed sable.

*Motto:* "Toujours pret."

Andrew Meade — Mary Latham
David Meade — Susannah Everard
Richard Kidder Meade — Mary Grymes
David Meade — Louisa Washington Nelson
Susan Everard Meade — David Funsten

ANDREW[1] MEADE, the emigrant ancestor of the Virginia Meade family, came to America about 1685. He was from Ballintobber, Co. Cork, Ireland, and the late Mr. P. H. Baskervill traced his ancestry for nine genera-

tions in his book *Andrew Meade of Ireland and Virginia.* He is said to have gone first to London, and then to New York, where he married Mary Latham of Flushing, Long Island, N. Y., daughter of Daniel Latham, a Quaker. About five years later he removed to Nansemond Co., Va., engaged in trade with the Indians, and also in the lumber trade, and became a man of wealth. Andrew Meade was an Irish Catholic, and it has never been ascertained that he ever formally renounced the Catholic faith, though he was many years a representative of his county in the House of Burgesses, judge of the court, and senior colonel of the militia. He died in 1745, "leaving a character without a stain, having had the glorious epithet connected with his name, long before he died, of 'Honest'." He had a daughter Priscilla,[2] who married Wilson Curle, of Hampton, and a son

DAVID[2] MEADE, born 1710; educated at Harrow; married 1731 Susannah Everard, daughter of Sir Richard Everard and his wife Susannah Kidder (see Everard). Of him his son David writes:—

"My father, David Meade, some time before his marriage, made an acquaintance with the family of Sir Richard Everard, who resided at Edenton, the then seat of government of North Carolina, where an attachment, perfectly romantic, was mutually formed between my father and the eldest daughter of Sir Richard.

"Having relinquished his government, Sir Richard Everard and his lady and two daughters became the guests of my grandfather Meade, he living convenient to Hampton Roads, where the ship lay in which they had taken their passage to England. From some cause or other, the ship was delayed longer than was expected, which delay proved favorable to my father's views, who had but little expectation of obtaining the parents' consent to his marriage with their daughter in Virginia, and he was preparing to accompany the family to England, when the earnest entreaties of his father, who was distressed at the thought of being so long and so widely separated from his only son, prevailed upon the parents of my mother to consent to an immediate marriage. They, with the most entire confidence in his honor

David Meade, 1710-1757

Susannah Everard. Wife of David Meade

From "Andrew Meade of Ireland and Virginia"

and affection, put their daughter under the protection of her enraptured lover. No pair ever enjoyed more happiness in the hymeneal state than they did. They were both of them very young when they came together, and with very little experience of mankind, brought up under eyes of fond and virtuous parents.

"My father was of handsome person and fine stature. He lived a monotonous and tranquil life."

David Meade died in 1757, in his 47th year. He and his wife had eight children:—

i. **Anne,**[3] who married Richard Randolph, Jr., of "Curles," son of Richard Randolph and Jane Bolling, and brother of the first wife of Richard Kidder[3] Meade, her brother.

ii. **Mary,**[3] who married Colonel George Walker, and moved to Kentucky.

iii. **David,**[3] born July 29, 1744; died Oct., 1838; married May 12, 1768, Sarah Waters. David Meade was the author of *The Chaumiere Papers*, published long after his death, at Chicago, in 1883. It is from these papers that we learn much regarding the Meade family. The book is scarce, but most of it has been (pp. 37, 73) republished in the William and Mary College Quarterly, Vol. XIII. Any member of the family should read this fascinating book.* He tells of his edu-

* The book abounds in quotable parts, of which only a taste can be given here. "The chief source of enjoyment he derived from the society of his friends up James River, was principally that of Curles, the seat of Mr. Richard Randolph, who married the eldest of his three sisters. His friends Ryland and John Randolph were inmates there, and several very agreeable females were the members of the household; but although he had a heart not destitute of susceptibility of the tender passion which nature and sentiment dispose the sexes to feel for each other, and the neighborhood of Curles, including the seat, abounded with as much beauty, fashion and rank as any part of Virginia (if not

cation in England, his return in 1761, the four following years, "rather monotonous," then from July 26th to Oct. 22d, 1765, he takes a trip with Ryland and John Randolph [brothers of his sister Anne's husband. John was the father of John Randolph of "Roanoke"], visiting Philadelphia, New York, Albany, Lake George, Lake Champlain, Montreal, and Quebec, and back the same way. After the Revolution he moved, in 1796, to Kentucky, where he founded "Chaumiere des Prairies," "celebrated in the early history of Kentucky as the finest, handsomest, most elegant house and private residence in the West."

iv. **Richard Kidder,**[3] born July 14, 1746. See below.

v. **Everard,**[3] Major and aide-de-camp to General Lincoln, later Major-General; "when not quite eighteen years of age he clandestinely formed an hymeneal con-

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more), there was wanting something in them individually that was essential to excite such sentiments in him as to secure his exclusive affections" (page 27).

He evidently preferred Colonel William Byrd to George Washington. "Col. Byrd was in some respects the superior of General Washington, and in none his inferior." (page 38). ". . . the grateful multitude in its enthusiastic admiration and almost adoration of General Washington, who became most unaccountably popular, with little of that affability, address, or art which is generally considered essential to make one a popular hero. He was brave and prudent and active of body, but without one great essential in an accomplished commander, namely, *decision;* [italicized in the original] nor was he recommended by much experience. He was an honest statesman, though as a chief magistrate, deficient in personal suavity and address. He had sound judgment, and was scarcely rivaled by any one in his conduct of private affairs. Without ambition, and probably actuated by a sincere desire to promote the public weal, his powers of mind were no doubt ever at their utmost stretch to attain his end. He seems to have been ordained by Heaven to achieve great things in arms without great military talents, without great native genius, without classical learning, and with but little knowledge of the sciences"! (pp. 41–2).

nection with Mary Thornton"; married second, Mary Eggleston, widow of Benjamin Ward.

vi. Andrew,[3] married Susanna, daughter of Buckner Stith, of Brownswick. Built "Octagon Hall," which was destroyed by fire in 1873.

vii. **John,**[3] died at seventeen years of age, about 1771–2.

viii. **Daughter.**[3] David Meade in note above mentions his "three sisters."

LIEUT. COL. RICHARD KIDDER[3] MEADE, born July 14, 1746; educated at Mr. James Graham's school at Dalfton, in Hackney parish, England; married first about 1765 a daughter of Col. Richard Randolph and his wife Jane Bolling (a descendant of Pocahontas) of "Curles." Bishop Meade states that his father's first wife was **Jane** Randolph, while David Meade in "The Chaumiere Papers" states twice that his brother's first wife was **Elizabeth** Randolph, which is probably correct.* Other authorities are about evenly divided, until we come to Browning's *Americans of Royal Descent*, which makes the absurd claim that Richard Kidder Meade married his own niece, daughter of Anne Meade his sister by her husband Richard Randolph,

* It *is* correct. In a letter written June 24, 1885, by R. K. Meade, son of Bishop Meade, to Capt. David Meade of "Benvenue," now in the possession of Mrs. Edwin Hinks, he says: "Col. Meade's 1st wife cannot be in the 'Lucky Hit' graveyard, unless her remains were brought there after the war. . . . She died in lower Va. before the war, and was buried there; furthermore her name was *Elizabeth* (the italics are the writer's), not Jane, Randolph—in proof of which I send the following extract from *The Virginia Gazette* of 1874, 'Died Jan. 20, 1874 Mrs. Elizabeth Meade, wife of R. Kidder Meade of Prince George.' How my father came to say Jane in *Old Churches* etc. I cannot conceive. The above extract—conclusive in itself—is sustained by all the authorities, and especially by our grandfather's brother, David Meade of Kentucky, who in his autobiography mentions his first marriage and the death of his first wife, and calls her *Elisabeth*." It is unnecessary to add that the date 1874 above is of course incorrect. Mr. Meade at the end of his letter says, "I am too old and nervous to escape blunders." The date should be 1774.

named Elizabeth Jane Randolph (page 788). Elizabeth had several children, all of whom died before her death on Jan. 20, 1774.

Richard Kidder Meade married second, Dec. 10, 1780, Mrs. Mary (Grymes) Randolph, widow of William Randolph of "Chatsworth," and daughter of Benjamin Grymes and Elizabeth Landon Fitzhugh (see Grymes). She was born Nov. 9, 1753, and died June 16, 1813. It is from these two Randolph marriages that the name Randolph descends to later generations, though there is no Randolph blood in the family.

David Meade in the "Chaumiere Papers" says of his brother:—

"R. K. Meade, after the death of his wife, and having no children, being actuated by the most virtuous motives that ever actuated the mind of man, engaged first as a volunteer in the service of his country and raised a company, or rather was placed at the head of a company by its unanimous vote. As soon as the convention of Virginia ordered the raising of two regiments, he was appointed captain in the Second Regiment under Colonel Woodford, and in a very short time raised his company in the winter of 1776–7. The Second Regiment was ordered to join the army, then on the Delaware, in Jersey, under the command of the commander-in-chief. Before it left Virginia, he received his appointment of aide-de-camp to General Washington, and thereon without delay he repaired to headquarters. In his station of aide he performed all the active duties of it better, perhaps, than any other of the General's family. He was a handsome man, of athletic form and constitution —from his early years was fond of manly and hardy sports; was a good horseman, and was the best mounted aide-de-camp in the army. At the battle of Monmouth he escaped being made prisoner by the fleetness of the horse he rode, as he related it himself. Being sent with orders to Major General Lee, when either going or returning, he fell in with a general officer and his suite, and was so near to them as to be in gunshot. He was sensible of the danger he was in, but confiding in the powers of his horse, he soon found himself out of their reach; but having a swamp to cross,

his horse got so immersed in it as not to be able to extricate himself from captivity; he found himself under the necessity of dismounting, and abandoning his horse, which, relieved from so great a load, with great exertion plunged out and fortunately recovered, was instantly remounted. Audbury, a British officer . . . narrated the above adventure to this effect: That the General and suite which R. K. Meade was so near being taken by, was no less a person than Sir Harry Clinton, the British commander-in-chief and his suite; that an officer in it desired the General to permit him to shoot at the American, which, to Sir Harry's immortal credit, was generously, nobly and gloriously refused. The events of the Revolutionary War of North America are well recorded by different historians. From these histories, it does not appear that the aide-de-camp, Captain Meade, was in any way distinguished from his associate aides. It will not be to his discredit to have it remembered that he was particularly intimate with and had a friendship for General Alexander Hamilton. . . .

"But, returning to R. K. Meade, a subject much more interesting to the writer. . . . In this state of things at the American camp, the unfortunate Andre then had his trial and condemnation as a spy, and R. K. Meade was sent with a flag and letter directed to Sir Henry Clinton, commander-in-chief of the British army in New York. A blunt, ingenuous, honest-hearted lieutenant of the navy was sent to receive the flag and letter. The lieutenant, upon receiving the letter and looking at the superscription, pronounced without hesitation or reflection that it was not directed properly, for General Ralston, not Clinton, commanded in New York, by which he disclosed a secret which General Washington considered of the utmost importance to him. General Washington moved with the army, or a considerable detachment, first up the North River, immediately after the return of this flag with the intelligence. But, returning to the conference of the British lieutenant of the navy and R. K. Meade. The honest lieutenant, with much appearance of feeling, several times repeated his inquiries of R. K. Meade, whether he thought they would hang Major Andre. 'And will they?' says he, repeating the question for the second or third time, 'hang that d—d fine fellow Andre?' and being reluctantly answered in the affirmative, after a pause and a sigh: 'Well, then,' says he, 'if you do hang Andre,

the world will know what a d—d blockhead Sir Harry Clinton is.'

"R. K. Meade left the army before the peace of Paris in 1783, and settled permanently in Frederick County, State of Virginia, where he spent an agricultural and very retired life, beloved by all who were acquainted with him, esteemed and respected by his neighbors and every one that had ever heard of his worth." (Pages 39–40, 44–46.)

Bishop Meade in *Old Churches and Families of Virginia* says of his father:—

"I shall be excused for adding in this place some other particulars concerning my father. He married, at the age of nineteen, Miss Jane (?) Randolph, of Curls, sister of Richard Randolph, who married his sister, and aunt of John Randolph, of Roanoke, who always called him Uncle Kidder. His wife was some years older than himself, which called from the elder Judge Tucker some humorous poetry, entitled Happy Dick, in which he condoles with the younger ladies on James River upon their disappointment. This wife lived but a few years, having several children during the time, and leaving none behind. During his first marriage he lived at Coggin's Point, in Prince George, the present possession and residence of Edmund Ruffin, and which he sold during the war, though, by means of the depreciation of money, he realized but little from it. In Prince George he was a vestryman, but resigned because the vestry would not discharge an unworthy clergyman. He entered early into the Revolutionary war, being one of twenty-four persons . . . who, in June, 1775, seized upon the arms and ammunition in Dunmore's house, in Williamsburgh, carrying the powder to the magazine, and dividing the arms among themselves for safekeeping and the service of the country. In December of that year he was found at the battle of Great Bridge, near Norfolk—the first battle fought in Virginia. He had raised a company, and was then serving as captain under General Woodford. He was soon taken into the family of General Washington as his aide, and was most active in reconnoitring, being a good rider and having a fine animal—the black mare so well known to the British as well as American armies. He used to say that Hamilton did all the headwork for the General, and he the riding, recon-

noitring, and carrying orders on the field. He was with Washington in all the great battles of the Revolution. To him was committed the superintendence of the execution of Major Andre, of which he always spoke with much feeling, saying that he could not forbear tears at seeing the execution of so uncommon and interesting a man, though he entirely approved the order. At the close of the war he married the widow of Mr. William Randolph, of Chattsworth, near Richmond, the brother of Governor Beverly Randolph, of Cumberland, and Colonel Robert Randolph, of Fauquier. She is mentioned in Campbell's History as among the female contributors to the expenses of the war in a time of great need. Her contribution was eight hundred dollars. Perhaps this circumstance may have first attracted my father's attention to her. When Washington was taking leave of some of his aids, a circumstance occurred which showed his estimate of their different characters. To Hamilton he said, 'You must go to the bar, which you can reach in six months;' to Laurens, something as appropriate; to Colonel Meade, whom he then called by his familiar name, 'Friend Dick, you must go to a plantation in Virginia; you will make a good farmer and an honest foreman of the grand jury of the county where you live.' And so it proved; for he became a most attentive, successful, and, at first, hard-working farmer, and was, while health permitted, always the foreman of the grand jury of the old District Court of Frederick County." (Page 294.)

Bishop Meade concludes the references to his father by a poem, written after his death by Mrs. Mary Page, of "Page Brook," Frederick County, Va.:—

Though wars have ceased, the hero claims renown;
With choicest myrtle let his tomb be crown'd;
And ye, sweet nine, your plaintive tribute pay,
And o'er his virtues shed a milder ray.
In scenes domestic man is truly known;
In scenes domestic Meade forever shone.
His soul, unconscious of one narrow thought,
Of self regardless, did the thing he ought.
Where'er his form benignant bent its way,
Grim care soon vanish'd and each heart was gay.

At mercy's call he ever foremost press'd;
For meek-eyed pity sway'd his manly breast.
Hasten, fair nymphs of Frederick's peaceful plains;
Attend, fond youths, to breathe your mournful strains;
Votaries of Hymen, follow to deplore
That Meade, your pride and father, is no more.
But why, blest shade, should friends lament thy doom?
Joys celestial hover o'er thy tomb;
Thy Mary, purer than the snowdrop white,
Shall guide thine offspring to the realms of light.

The oaths of allegiance taken by the various members of the official family of George Washington have just been discovered at Washington. Here follows the oath taken by Richard Kidder Meade:—

"I Richard K. Meade Lieutenant Colonel, and Aide de Camp to His Excellency The Commander in Chief do acknowledge the UNITED STATES of AMERICA, to be Free, Independent and Sovereign States, and declare that the people thereof owe no allegiance or obedience to George the Third, King of Great-Britain; and I renounce, refuse and abjure any allegiance or obedience to him; and I do Swear that I will to the utmost of my power, support, maintain and defend the said United States, against the said King George the Third, his heirs and successors and his or their abettors, assistants and adherents, and will serve the said United States in the office of Aide De Camp which I now hold, with fidelity, according to the best of my skill and understanding.

(Signed) RICHARD K. MEADE.

Sworn before me, Camp Valley
Forge May 12 1778
Stirling, Major Genl."

Lieut. Col. Richard Kidder Meade died at his residence "Lucky Hit" in Frederick (now Clarke), County, Va., Feb. 9, 1805. He is buried in the cemetery of the Meade Memorial Church at White Post. On his tombstone, after his name and dates, appear only the words "vir probus." The mas-

ter of a grammar school in England used to tell him that though he would not be a learned scholar he would be what was far better "vir probus." His will is dated Nov. 4, 1797; and was probated July 1, 1805. He had eight children by his second wife:—

i. **Ann Randolph,**[4] born Dec. 3, 1781, at Chatham, near Fredericksburg, Va., married March 23, 1799, Matthew Page of "Annefield"; died March 28, 1838; interred at "Old Chapel." She might have died wealthy, but spent all her substance on charity, always considering her servants paramount. After her husband's death on Oct. 5, 1826, she began preparations for liberating her slaves and sending them to Liberia, which she did, in 1832, providing them with every necessary supply for a year. She was very religious, and would not accept a handsome carriage lined with red leather as a gift from her husband: "I will send it over to Sister Maria (Mrs. John Page of 'Page Brook'). She will use it."

ii. **Richard Kidder,**[4] **Jr.,** born Feb. 18, 1784; married Dec. 19, 1815, Rebecca S. Green; died Feb. 26, 1833. Lieutenant in U. S. Navy.

iii. **William Fitzhugh,**[4] born March 16, 1786; died Sept., 1786. Probably buried at "Lucky Hit."

iv. **Susannah Everard,**[4] born March 9, 1788; died Oct. 3, 1823.

v. **William,**[4] born Nov. 11, 1789. This is Bishop Meade of Virginia, author of *Old Churches and Families of Virginia*, that inexhaustible mine of information regard-

ing old Virginia families. He married first Jan. 31, 1810, Mary Nelson, born, 1792, daughter of Philip Nelson and Sarah Burwell, of "Long Branch." She died July 3, 1817, and is interred at "Old Chapel," Clarke Co., Va. He married second his first wife's cousin, Tomasia Nelson, daughter of Thomas Nelson, on Dec. 2, 1820. He died March 14, 1862. His home was "Mountain View" (see Appendix B).

vi. **David,**[4] born March 11, 1793. See below.

vii. **Mary,**[4] born Dec. 25, 1794. In the *History of Clarke Co., Va.*, it says that the Tavern at White Post "is located on the Media lot, formerly owned and occupied by a very saintly lady, Miss Mary Meade, sister of Bishop Meade of Virginia." She never married. "Aunt Mary Meade died March 21, 1879, was 85 yrs old on Xmas day last."

viii. **Lucy Fitzhugh,**[4] born Oct. 26, 1796; died unmarried Oct. 2, 1823.

DAVID[4] MEADE, born March 11, 1793; educated at Princeton, class of 1812; married Nov. 17, 1814, Louisa Washington Nelson, born Aug. 20, 1796, daughter of Dr. John Nelson and his wife Catherine Washington (see Nelson). He died Dec. 20, 1837, and she died Feb. 6, 1858, at "Benvenue," in Clarke Co. They had eleven children:—

i. **Mary Catherine,**[5] born June 19, 1816; married Col. Oliver Ridgway Funsten (No. 9, Funsten record); died Feb. 28, 1847.

ii. **Lucinda N.,**[5] born May 17, 1818; died Dec. 27, 1818.

iii. **Richard Kidder,**[5] born Nov. 7, 1819; married Jane B. Grymes; died March 4,

Bishop William Meade, 1789-1862

Bishop of Virginia. Author of "Old Churches and Families of Virginia"

1862. They had five children: David, Edgar Snowden, Custis Grymes, George Carter, and Jane Brokenborough.

iv. **John Nelson,**[5] born Oct. 1, 1821; married Elizabeth Holmes Mackey; died at "Valley View," Jan. 6, 1888. They were the parents, with other children, of Catherine Meade, born Feb. 2, 1850; married Jan. 8, 1870, James William Fletcher, born April 29, 1827, son of William Fletcher and Catherine Starke, and brother of John Thomas Fletcher and Hamilton Smith Fletcher, who married two of the daughters of Col. Oliver Ridgway Funsten (No. 9, Funsten record). He died Jan. 25, 1900, and she died May 7, 1921. They had two sons, William Meade Fletcher, born Oct. 31, 1870, and James Hamilton Fletcher, born March 21, 1872.

v. **Susan Everard,**[5] born May 16, 1824. See below.

vi. **Virginia Washington,**[5] born June 1, 1826; married her cousin, William W. Meade, son of Richard Kidder Meade, Jr., and Rebecca S. Green. She died Aug. 16, 1863. As an infant, she was adopted by her maternal aunt, Lucinda W. (Nelson) Washington, who had no children of her own (see Nelson). Six children: Stasius, William Kidder, David Randolph, Lucinda Washington, Virginia Cary and George William.

vii. **Nathaniel Burwell,**[5] born July 21, 1828; married first Anastasia Stewart; married second Eugenia Turner; died at Marshall, Fauquier Co., May 29, 1888. He

was at one time Judge of Corporation Court of Alexandria, Va., By his second wife he had six children.

viii. **William Henry Fitzhugh,**[5] born Oct. 4, 1830. Never married. Died April 21, 1894. Known in the family as "Uncle Buck."

ix. **Captain David,**[5] of "Benvenue," born Jan. 31, 1833; married Nannie Snowden; no children. He was a captain in the Confederate Army. Died in April, 1906. Known in the family as "Uncle Pidgie."

x. **Philip Thomas,**[5] born Feb. 11, 1835; died March 2, 1835.

xi. **George William,**[5] twin to Philip Thomas, born Feb. 11, 1835; married Sally K. Calloway; died Aug. 24, 1859 at Topeka, Kan. One son.

SUSAN EVERARD[5] MEADE, born May 16, 1824; married Nov. 21, 1844, at Christ Church, Millwood, Clarke Co., Va., David[2] Funsten (No. 10, Funsten record).

*Authorities:* *The Chaumiere Papers.*
*Old Churches and Families of Virginia.*
*Andrew Meade of Ireland and Virginia.*
*Old Chapel, Clarke County, Virginia.*
Heitman's *Hist. Reg. of Officers of the Continental Army*, p. 387.
*History of Clarke County, Virginia.*
*David Meade Family Bible.*
Mr. William Meade Fletcher.

"Benvenue"

Home of the Meade Family

## NELSON

Arthur Nelson —
John Nelson —
Dr. Arthur Nelson —
Dr. John Nelson — Catherine Washington
Louisa Washington Nelson — David Meade
Susan Everard Meade — David Funsten

DR. ARTHUR NELSON was of "Point of Rocks Plantation," Frederick Co., Maryland. Of his ancestry the only trace is a letter written by Fred J. Nelson, a grandson of Gen. Roger Nelson, to David Meade at White Post, Va., dated Aug. 5, 1894, which states that Dr. Arthur Nelson was a son of John Nelson, who was a son of Arthur Nelson, who came from England before 1745, but gives no further information. Dr. Arthur Nelson mentions his children Sarah, Jane, John and Roger in his will. His son Roger Nelson became a Brigadier General in the Revolution, and his portrait and an article about him appears in the "American Monthly Magazine" (D. A. R.) Vol. III, page 397. His other son

DR. JOHN NELSON of Berryville, Va., surgeon of the Sixth Maryland Regiment in the Revolution, married Nov. 3, 1789, in Frederick Co., Va., Catherine Washington, daughter of Warner Washington and Hannah Fairfax (see Washington). He died in May, 1806, at Frankfort, Va. His military record is given as follows:—Sergeant of Gist's Continental Regiment, 1777; Sergeant Major, 1778; Second Lieutenant, 1779; retired Jan. 1, 1781. Mrs. Nelson married second about 1813, John Milton. "Catherine Milton (mother of our beloved mother) departed this life the 6th

day of July, 1845, greatly respected and beloved by all who knew her. Her last words were 'the Savior is with me.'" She is interred at "Old Chapel," Clarke Co., Va. Mrs. Milton made application for a pension on April 4, 1845, as the widow of Dr. John Nelson, which states that he enlisted at Frederickstown, Md., married as stated above; died about May, 1806, and left eight children, all born at "Frankfort," now in Jefferson Co., West Virginia. These children were:—

i. **Philip Thomas,** born Nov. 6, 1790, at "Roseville," Clarke Co., Va.; died about 1810, Alexandria, Va.

ii. **Lucinda W.,** born May 18, 1792, married Thacker Washington; died Aug. 26, 1863. "Had no children but adopted ones." (See Virginia Washington Meade.)

iii. **Hannah Fairfax,** born Nov. 18, 1793; died 1805.

iv. **Louisa Washington,** born Aug. 20, 1796, at "Roseville," Clarke Co., Va. See below.

v. **George William,** born 1798; died aged about thirty-two, unmarried.

vi. **Elizabeth Cary,** born May, 1800; married Albert Turner; died Feb. 2, 1871.

vii. **Geraldine,** born 1802; died in September, 1828.

viii. **Anne Fairfax,** born 1805; died in childhood.

LOUISA WASHINGTON NELSON, born Aug. 20, 1796, at "Roseville," Clarke Co., Va.; married Nov. 17, 1814, David Meade (see Meade).

*Authorities:* Heitman's *Hist. Reg. of Officers of the Continental Army*, p. 410.
*Old Chapel, Clarke Co., Virginia.*
David Meade Family Bible.
Pension application.

Lucinda W. (Nelson) Washington

1792-1863

## RIDGWAY

Richard Ridgway — Abigail Stockton
John Ridgway — Hannah Brown
Jane Ridgway — Andrew McKay
Margaret McKay — Oliver Funsten
David Funsten — Susan Everard Meade

RICHARD RIDGWAY, of Berkshire, England, arrived Sept. 12, 1679, at the Delaware River on the *Jacob and Mary*, with his wife Elizabeth Chamberlayne, and a two year old son Thomas, and settled at Crewcorn, Bucks Co., Pa. Here his wife died March 31, 1692. He married second, date unknown, Abigail Stockton, daughter of Richard and Abigail Stockton, who settled at Flushing, Long Island, before Nov. 8, 1656, and later moved to Springfield Township, Burlington Co., N. J. They had eight children, of whom the first, Richard, was the grandfather of Richard Stockton "the Signer"; and the fourth was Abigail who married Richard Ridgway. The Ridgways were Quakers, and Richard is mentioned in the old records as a tailor. His will is dated Sept. 21, 1722, and was probated April 5, 1723. The will of Abigail, his widow, was dated March 8, 1726, and was probated Dec. 19, 1726. Richard Ridgway had seven children by each wife:

By first wife, Elizabeth Chamberlayne:

i. **Thomas,** born 5 mo. (July) 25, 1677, at Wallingford, Berkshire, England; emigrated with his parents in 1679; married first, in 1699, Ann, daughter of

James Pharo; married second, Nov. 6, 1712, Elizabeth, daughter of Edward and Sarah Andrews, and granddaughter of Samuel Andrews; died Aug. 24, 1724, at Little Egg Harbor, Burlington Co., N. J. Eleven children.

ii. **Richard, Jr.,** born 6 mo. (Aug.) 27, 1680, in Bucks Co., Pa.; married first 8 mo. 9, 1702 at Jerusalem, Queens Co., L. I., Mary, daughter of Hope and Mary Willits, by whom he had six children; married second Nov. 11, 1714, Mrs. Mary (Stockton) Crispin, sister of his father's second wife, and widow of Thomas Shinn and Silas Crispin. No children by this marriage. He died in 1719 at Springfield, Burlington Co., N. J.

iii. **Elizabeth,** born 2 mo. (April), 17, 1682, in Pa.; married Sept. 15, 1704, Joseph (or Richard) Willits.

iv. **William.** Probably died young.

v. **Sarah.** Probably died young.

vi. **Josiah,** born Sept. 6, 1690, at Crewcorn, Bucks Co., Pa.; married Sarah (maiden name unknown).

vii. **Joseph.** Probably died young.

By his second wife, Abigail Stockton:

viii. **Job.** Married Dec. 7, 1719, Rebecca, daughter of John Butcher, and had six children.

ix. **Abigail.** Married 11 mo. 5, 1717, Henry Clothier.

x. **John.** See below.

xi. **Mary.** Married Dec. 11, 1719, John Ballinger.

xii. **Jane.** Married in 1721, Isaac Antrim, and had seven children.

xiii. **Sarah.** Mentioned as lame in her mother's will. Died unmarried.

xiv. **Joseph.** Married first, Nov. 11, 1727, Sarah, daughter of John Butcher; married second Feb. 15, 1737–8, Hannah Allen. Died in 1760. Eleven children.

JOHN RIDGWAY, date of birth unknown; married May 5, 1727, Hannah, daughter of Richard and Elizabeth Brown. John and Hannah removed to Hopewell, Frederick Co., Virginia (date not given), where they lived for some time. John returned to New Jersey with a certificate from Hopewell (Va.) Meeting, dated 6 mo. 7, 1749, in which it was stated that he was a widower. Hannah, therefore, probably died in Virginia. They had four children, and possibly more:

i. **Jane.** See below.

ii. **Richard.** Married 12 mo. 22, 1762, at Crooked Run Meeting House, Frederick Co., Va., Margaret McKay, of Crooked Run, Va., a sister of Andrew McKay.

iii. **Rachel.** Married 8 mo. 15, 1765, at Hopewell, Va., Jacob McKay, of Crooked Run, Va.; a brother of Andrew McKay.

iv. **Mary.** Returned to New Jersey in 1749 with her father.

JANE RIDGWAY, date of birth unknown; married 11 mo. 27, 1760 at Hopewell, Va., Andrew McKay (see McKay). After his death in 1804 she moved to a Quaker settlement near Waynesville, Ohio, where on Oct. 15, 1806, she married second a preacher, Joseph Cloud, of the Society of Friends. She died soon after, in 1806, and was buried at Waynesville, Ohio.

*Authorities:* *New Jersey Archives*, Vol. 22, p. 322; Vol. 23, p. 383.
*Proceedings Surveyors Association of West New Jersey.*
*Stockton Family.*
Miss Edith W. Smith, Denver, Colorado.
Wayesville (Ohio) Monthly Meeting of Friends.
Hopewell (Va.) Monthly Meeting.

## WARNER

*Arms:* Vert, a cross engrailed or.

Augustine Warner — Mary ———
Augustine Warner — Mildred Reade
Mildred Warner — Lawrence Washington
John Washington — Catherine Whiting
Warner Washington — Hannah Fairfax
Catherine Washington — Dr. John Nelson
Louisa Washington Nelson — David Meade
Susan Everard Meade — David Funsten

Augustine Warner — Mary ———
Sarah Warner — Lawrence Townley
Alice Townley — John Grymes
Col. John Grymes — Lucy Ludwell
Benjamin Grymes — Elizabeth Landon Fitzhugh
Mary Grymes — Richard Kidder Meade
David Meade — Louisa Washington Nelson
Susan Everard Meade — David Funsten

AUGUSTINE WARNER, of "Warner Hall," was born Nov. 28, 1610; emigrated 1628; died Dec. 24, 1674; buried at Abingdon Parish, Gloucester Co., Va. His wife's name was Mary (maiden name unknown), and she was born May 15, 1614, and died Aug. 22, 1662; buried at "Warner Hall." His son

AUGUSTINE WARNER, II, of "Warner Hall," born June 3, 1642; married Mildred Reade (of royal descent; No. 92 on chart), daughter of George Reade by his wife Elizabeth Martian, daughter of Capt. Nicholas Martian. The

Reade arms are: Azure guttee d'or, a cross-crosslet fitchee of the last. Crest: A shoveller close sable. Augustine Warner II died June 10, 1681.

SARAH WARNER, daughter of Augustine Warner the first, married Lawrence Townley.

MILDRED WARNER, daughter of Augustine Warner II and Mildred Reade; married in 1690 Lawrence Washinton (see Washington). He died in 1697–8, and she married second George Gale, and died in England in 1700.

ALICE TOWNLEY, daughter of Lawrence Townley and Sarah Warner, married Major John Grymes (see Grymes), and died in 1710.

*Authorities:* *Virginia Heraldica.*
*Ancestral Records and Portraits*, pp. 130, 439, 442.

John Washington born the 12th of November 1692

Catharine Whiting born the 22d of May 1694.

John Washington was Married to Catharine Whiting July 9th 1716

Elizabeth the Daughter of John & Catharine born 21st of June

John Son of John & Catharine born 15th of July 1718

Milcah Daughter of John & Catharine born 8th January 1720

Warner Son of Jno & Catharine born 22d Sept. 1722

Catharine Daughter of Jno & Catharine born 11th Feby 1724

Henry Son of Jno & Catharine born 13th Sept 1727

Matthew Son of Jno & Catharine born 3d Sept 1732

Hannah Daughter of Jno & Catharine born 10th Jany 1734

Catharine Washington Died 7th Feby 1748
aged 49 years

John Washington died the first of September 1746
aged 54 years

Warner Washington departed this life the 23d Jany 1790:
almost 68: years of age

Hannah Washington departed this life the 29th May 1804
aged 62 years

John Washington Family Record

Facsimile of paper in the possession of Mrs. Herbert Durand

# WASHINGTON

*Arms:* Argent two bars gules, in chief three mullets of the second.

*Crest:* 1. Out of a ducal coronet or, a raven wings endorsed proper.

2. Out of a ducal coronet or, an eagle wings endorsed sable.

John Washington — Anna Pope
Lawrence Washington — Mildred Warner
John Washington — Catherine Whiting
Warner Washington — Hannah Fairfax
Catherine Washington — Dr. John Nelson
Louisa Washington Nelson — David Meade
Susan Everard Meade — David Funsten

JOHN WASHINGTON, the emigrant ancestor of the Washington family in America, was born in England about

1633–4, the son of Rev. Lawrence Washington and Amphillis Twigden, and emigrated to Virginia, where he died in Jan., 1677. His ancestry in England has been traced for eight generations or more. In 1660 he married as his second wife Anna Pope, daughter of Nathaniel Pope, and had three children, Lawrence, John and Anne.

LAWRENCE WASHINGTON, baptized Sept. 21, 1661, at Bridges Creek, Va.; married in 1690 Mildred Warner, daughter of Augustine Warner and Mildred Reade (see Warner). He died in March, 1697–8, and his widow married second George Gale, and died in England in 1700. They had three children, John, Augustine, and Mildred. Augustine, by his second wife, Mary Ball, was the father of George Washington.

JOHN WASHINGTON, born Nov. 12, 1692; married July 9, 1716, Catherine Whiting, born May 22, 1694, daughter of Col. Henry Whiting. She died Feb. 7, 1743, and is buried at Highgate, Gloucester Co., Va., where the Whiting arms appear on her tombstone. Whiting arms: On a chevron between three leopards' heads as many trefoils. Crest: A wolf's head. John Washington died Sept. 1, 1746.

Mrs. Herbert Durand (No. 37, Funsten record) is the fortunate possessor of a page, here reproduced, evidently taken from an old family Bible, that records the births of the children of this couple, and of their son Warner, much more fully than any record so far printed.

i. **Elizabeth,** born June 21, 1717; died unmarried, Feb. 3, 1736.
ii. **John,** born July 15, 1718.
iii. **Mildred,** born Jan. 8, 1720; twice married; no children.
iv. **Warner,** born Sept. 22, 1722. See below.
v. **Catherine,** born Feb. 11, 1724; married Fielding Lewis.
vi. **Henry,** born Sept. 13, 1727; married Anne daughter of Col. Edwin Thacker.

Warner Washington was Married to Elezabeth Macon December 1747. A Boy Girl born the 1 August 1748 Died the same Day.

Lewis Washington Son of Warner & Eleza was born the 5 Day of August 1749. [illegible] 1768

Warner Washington Son of Warner & Eliza Washington born the 5 Day of April 1751.

Their Mother Ob April 28th 1763 aged 34

Warner Washington was married to Hannah Fairfax the 10th of May 1764. by the Revd. M Green

Mildred Washington Daughter of Warner & Hannah born the 22d of March 1766. Saturday.

Hannah Washington Daughter of Warner & Hannah born the 20th of April 1767. Monday

Catharine Washington Daughter of Warner & Hannah born the 1st of April 1769. Saturday

Frances Mosley Washington Daughter of Warner & Hannah 20th of November 1770. Friday

Frances Mosley Washington departed this Life 30th Nov 1772

Elizabeth Washington Daughter of Warner & Hannah born the 21st of September 17[illegible]3. Tuesday

Lorrisa Washington Daughter of Warner & Hannah born the 9th of November 1775 Thursday

Fairfax Washington Son of Warner & Hannah born the 28 of June 1778

Whiting Washington Son of Warner & Hannah born September

Warner Washington Family Record

Facsimile of paper in the possession of Mrs. Herbert Durand

vii. **Matthew,** born Sept. 3, 1732.
viii. **Hannah,** born Jan. 10, 1734.

WARNER WASHINGTON, of "Fairfield," own cousin to George Washington, was born Sept. 22, 1722; died June 23, 1790; married first, Dec. 1, 1747, Elizabeth Macon, daughter of Col. William Macon. They had four children.

i. & ii. **Twins,** born and died Aug. 1, 1748.
iii. **John,** born Aug. 5, 1749; died Nov., 1758.
iv. **Warner,** born April 5, 1751; married first Mary Whiting; married second Sarah Rootes.

Elizabeth (Macon) Washington died April 28, 1763, aged 34, and Warner Washington married second, May 10, 1764, by the Rev. Mr. Green, Hannah Fairfax, daughter of William Fairfax and Deborah Clarke (see Fairfax). She died May 29, 1804, aged 62 years. By this marriage there were eight children, and the family record above referred to gives the dates of their birth, and of the death of Frances:

v. **Mildred,** born March 22, 1766; married Albion (Alban) Throckmorton.
vi. **Hannah,** born April 20, 1767; married Peter Beverley Whiting.
vii. **Catherine,** born April 1, 1769. See below.
viii. **Frances Moseley,** born Nov. 30, 1770; died Nov. 30, 1772.
ix. **Elizabeth,** born Sept. 21, 1773; married Dr. George Booth.
x. **Louisa,** born Nov. 9, 1775; married Feb., 1798, Thomas, 9th Lord Fairfax, and died April 28, 1798, three months after marriage. Thomas, de jure Lord Fairfax of Cameron, was a son of Bryan, and a grandson of William Fairfax and Deborah Clarke (see Fairfax).

xi. **Fairfax,** born June 28, 1778; died Feb. 5, 1861; married Sarah Armistead.

xii. **Whiting,** born Sept., 1780; married Rebecca Smith.

George Washington wrote to George William Fairfax, March 11, 1778, "Your sister Washington goes on teeming, but cannot produce a boy."

It will be noted that the dates in this list correct those published in *Colonial Families of America*, Vol. II, p. 278.

CATHERINE WASHINGTON, born April 1, 1769, at "Belvoir," Va.; stated by her great-granddaughter, Mrs. Mary Funsten Reed (No. 12, Funsten record), to have been baptised at "Mount Vernon," with General Washington acting as Godfather; married first Nov. 3, 1789, in Frederick Co., Va., Dr. John Nelson; married second, about 1813, John Milton. Bishop Meade says of her and her sister that they "were long and well known to me as among the best of women." She died July 6, 1845, at "Roseville," Va., and is interred at "Old Chapel."

*Authorities:* Welles' *Washington Family.*
*Virginia Heraldica.*
*Colonial Families of America*, Vol. II, p. 278.
*Old Churches and Families of Virginia*, Vol. II, p. 282.
Old Bible records.
*Ancestral Records and Portraits*, p. 438.
*Old Chapel, Clarke County, Virginia.*
*Writings of George Washington*, Vol. 6, p. 413; Vol. 14, p. 319.

Catherine Washington, 1769-1845

**Married first Dr. John Nelson; married second John Milton**

## APPENDIX A

### ANCESTRY OF CHARLOTTE ELIZABETH COOK, WIFE OF ROBERT EMMETT FUNSTEN

Caleb North — Jane ———
Robert North — Ann Rambo
Lieut. George North — Sarah Evans
Ann Smith North — Samuel Mark
Hortensia Harmon Mark — Henry Cook
Charlotte Elizabeth Cook — Robert Emmett Funsten

CALEB NORTH, and his wife Jane, daughter of Eckerley, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, landed at Philadelphia, July 29, 1729. He bought 69 acres at Gilbert Manor, Pa., in 1734. Their son

ROGER NORTH, married Oct. 1, 1733, Ann Rambo, and had 14 children. One of them was Lieut. Col. Caleb North, who was Captain, 1776; Major, 1777; Lieut. Col., 1777; retired Jan. 1, 1783. Another son was

LIEUTENANT GEORGE NORTH, who enlisted in 1776 (from the pension application of his second wife), Oct., 1777, 8 months' service Lieutenant and Quartermaster, 5th Pa. Regiment. June, 1778, 3 years, 11 months Brigade Quartermaster, 2d Pa. Brigade. May, 1782, 8 months Deputy Wagonmaster General to Southern Army. Heitman gives his military record as follows:—Sergeant 5th Pennsylvania Battalion, 16th January, 1776; Ensign, 12th October, 1776; 2nd Lieutenant 5th Pennsylvania 1st January, 1777; 1st Lieutenant, 11th September, 1777; retired 1st January, 1783. Married first, Sarah Evans, and had one daughter,

Ann Smith North, born 1789. Married second, Oct. 30, 1794, Eliza Keyes, and died Dec. 20, 1814, at Fairfax Co., Va. His widow applied for a pension Jan. 20, 1851. The children by this second marriage were William D.; Thomas I.; Nathaniel Green; George C.; Sarah, wife of Samuel D. Harper; and Aurelia Wayne, wife of Richard R. Crusen.

ANN SMITH NORTH, born 1789; married 1808, Samuel Mark. He died Oct. 23, 1831, at Alexandria, Va., and she died there April 8, 1870. Their children were:

i. **Sarah.**
ii. **Lydia.**
iii. **Ellen.**
iv. **Mary,** married a Mr. Gregory.
v. **Sam,** married a Miss Martin.
vi. **Hortensia Harmon,** born March 24, 1818. See below.
vii. **Elizabeth,** married Samuel Janney.

HORTENSIA HARMON MARK, born March 24, 1818, at Alexandria; married there July 28, 1841, Henry Cook, born Sept. 16, 1806, at St. Ives, Hurts, England. He died Dec. 10, 1868, and she died Nov. 14, 1880, at Alexandria, Va. Their children, born at Alexandria, were:

i. **Elizabeth Ann,** born Nov. 6, 1843; died Dec. 21, 1843.
ii. **Samuel Mark,** born Dec. 30, 1844; died Feb. 23, 1846.
iii. **Mary Seymour,** born March 15, 1848; died Dec. 13, 1863, at school in Baltimore.
iv. **Henry,** born Nov. 1, 1849; died Dec. 10, 1868, at "Clarens," near Alexandria.
v. **Charlotte Elizabeth,** born June 13, 1852. See below.
vi. **Llewellyn Mark,** born Aug. 28, 1854; married March 26, 1879, Lucy Bliss Ashby,

Charlotte Elizabeth Cook, 1852-1922

Wife of Robert Emmett Funsten

at Washington, D. C. She died May 15, 1899, and he died May 26, 1920, at Washington, D. C. They had one daughter, Hortensia Harmon Cook, born at Washington, D. C., January 4, 1881.

vii. **Douglas Gregory,** born July 28, 1858; died March 11, 1863.

CHARLOTTE ELIZABETH (Lillie) COOK, born June 13, 1852, at Alexandria, Va., married Dec. 1, 1875, Robert Emmett Funsten (No. 15, Funsten record), and died at St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 17, 1922.

*Authorities:* *North Genealogy.*
Henry Cook Family Bible.
Pension Application.
Heitman's *Hist. Reg. of Officers of the Continental Army*, p. 416.

## APPENDIX B

### MEADE HOMES—"Lucky Hit," "Mountain View," and "Benvenue."

By Robert M. Ward

Situated between the White Post and the Blue Ridge Mountain there are three adjacent farms, known as "Lucky Hit," "Mountain View," and "Benvenue," which have been peculiarly identified with Colonel Richard Kidder Meade and his sons, William Meade and David Meade and their descendants, and deserve special mention in this sketch.

In his Memoir of Bishop William Meade, published in 1867, Bishop John Johns, of the Diocese of Virginia says:

"At the commencement of the conflict between the Colonies and Great Britain Richard Kidder Meade lived at Coggins' Point in Prince George County, Va., on the James River. In that eventful struggle he felt the deepest interest and promptly participated in it in person. . . . He at once sold his estate on the James River, distributed the greater portion of the proceeds among his relations—reserving only $3,000.00 for himself which he placed in the hands of a friend to be invested for him as he might think best. Having disencumbered himself he offered his services to his country. . . . The friend to whom Col. Meade had left the portion of the proceeds of the sale of his estate which he had reserved for his own use purchased with it one thousand acres of land in that part of the Valley of Virginia known as Frederick County, and since its sub-division as Clarke. It was then a wild region, a kind of backwoods to the first

"Lucky Hit"

settlements on tide water, and as the price indicates not in much demand, but as it became cleared and was brought under cultivation its superior agricultural properties were soon developed and it rose very much in value. The investment was regarded as eminently advantageous which is quaintly expressed by the name given to the tract, "Lucky Hit." After the war Col. Meade went to reside on this estate and labored diligently as a pioneer in its improvement. With his own hands he assisted in tilling the ground and in the erection of the buildings necessary for the accommodation of a family and for the purposes of the farm. . . . Col. Meade shrank from no labor which the proper culture of the soil or the real comfort of the dwelling demanded."

During his life Col. Meade built a large brick residence with outbuildings, here illustrated, situated in an oak grove and commanding an extended view of the Blue Ridge. It is about one mile east of White Post. He died Feb. 9, 1805, leaving a will which was probated in the County Court of Frederick on July 1, 1805, in which he left his whole estate for life to his widow, who survived him, dying on July 16, 1813, with the right to dispose of the same among her children as she might deem best. During her life she gave to her son, William Meade, the tract upon which he built "Mountain View," and to her son David Meade the tract upon which he built "Benvenue."

Upon the tract given him William Meade, shortly after his marriage on Jan. 31, 1810, built a house, selecting a site which afforded an extensive prospect of the Blue Ridge and which, no doubt, suggested its name, "Mountain View."

In a sketch prepared by Bishop Meade himself he says:

"This step (marriage) compelled me at once and for many years to labor with my own hands for a support. My mother gave me a small farm, out of order, much injured by the tenant, and without a house on it. My wife had nothing. I began at once to build a small house. Myself and one or two hands burnt the lime-kiln which was used in building. I was in attendance almost without intermission night and

day from Monday morning to Saturday night. I assisted to tend the workmen who built the house. On the farm I helped to plough the first field that was cultivated, and as I did for many years scattered the seed with my own hands. I did all this because I was resolved never to incur debt—a rule to which I have strictly adhered ever since, and which in the good Providence of God has been the means of greatly increasing my property and enabling me to divide a sufficient portion to my sons. Had I at any early period been too proud or too indolent to work or had I not been a rigid economist and even subjected myself to ridicule for what seemed a needless singularity to some, I should have been forced to sell at a very low price my portion of my father's military land which has so increased in value as to enable me to give to each of my sons as much to begin life with as I desire them to have."

Writing about "Mountain View," as it was at a much later date, Bishop Johns says:

"The residence of Bishop Meade was in Clarke County . . . at the western base of the Blue Ridge, a county of remarkable fertility and beauty, and endeared to him by the associations of his youth and as the happy home where his children and his children's children had grown up around him. The undulating ground about the house covered with its rich turf he had adorned with every variety of the fir and cedar, interspersed with the most beautiful shade trees which the nurseries could furnish. The adjacent garden abounded in choice grapes and other fruits of which the Bishop was very fond, and which he was gratified to gather with his own hand for the refreshment of his visitors as he conducted them about the grounds. No one could be his companion in these walks without perceiving his strong attachment to Mountain View."

Upon the tract of land given him by his mother, David Meade, shortly after his marriage in 1814, built "Benvenue." It is a handsome brick residence situated a short distance south of "Lucky Hit." "Benvenue" was the home of David Meade until he died in 1837. It was the birthplace

of his daughter, Susan Everard Meade, and her home until her marriage in 1844 with David Funsten. It descended to his son and namesake, Captain David Meade, who resided at "Benvenue," at the time of his death in 1906.

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4. EDWARD II
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12. EDWARD III
m. Philippa of Hainault
dau. of William III

21. JOHN OF GAUNT
d. 1399
m.[3] Catherine (Roet) Swynfor

31. Joan Beaufort
2d wife of
Ralph Neville
Earl of Westmoreland
d. 1425 (see No. 40)

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45. Richard
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E. Salisbury
m. Alice Mon-
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56. Richard Neville
"THE KING MAKER"
m. Anne Beauchamp
(No. 62)

65. Isabella Neville
m. George, Duke
of Clarence
(No.59)

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6. Edmond of Woodstock
E. of Kent, beheaded 1330
m. Margaret Wake

14. Joan
"FAIR MAID OF KENT"
m.[1] Thomas Holland

24. Thomas Holland
2d Earl of Kent
d. 1397, m. Alice
Fitzalan (No. 29)

Eleanor
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Thomas
Montacute
(No. 41)

37. Eleanor
Holland
m. Roger
Mortimer
(No. 42)

38. Margaret
Holland
m. John
Beaufort
(No. 32)

# ROYAL DESCENT OF SUSAN EVERARD (MEADE) FUNSTEN

[Showing twenty-six lines of descent from Edward I]

Every descendant of David Funsten and Susan Everard Meade is descended from each and every one of the persons named on this chart.

Eleanor, dau. of Ferdinand III of Castile — m.[1] 1. **EDWARD I** m.[2] — Margaret, dau. of Philip III of Spain

- Gilbert de Clare, d. 1295 — m.[1] 2. **JOAN OF ACRE** d. 1307 — m.[2] Ralph de Monthemer
  - 7. Eleanor de Clare m. Hugh Despenser, Jr. hanged 1326
    - 15. Edward Despenser d. 1342 m. Anne Ferrars d. 1367
      - 25. Edward Despenser d. 1375 m. Elizabeth de Burghersh d. 1409
        - 39. Thomas Despenser Earl of Gloucester beheaded 1400 m. Constance Plantagenet (No. 34)
          - 51. Isabella Despenser m.[1] Richard Beauchamp Earl of Worcester
            - 61. Elizabeth Beauchamp m. Edward Neville (No. 47)
          - 51. Isabella Despenser m.[2] Richard Beauchamp Earl of Warwick
            - 62. Anne Beauchamp m. Richard Neville (No. 56)
  - 8. Margaret de Clare m.[1] Hugh d'Audley
    - 16. Margaret d'Audley m. Ralph Stafford
      - 26. Hugh Stafford d. 1386 m. Philippa Beauchamp
        - 40. Margaret Stafford 1st wife of Ralph Neville Earl of Westmoreland (see No. 31)
          - 52. Ralph Neville m. Margery Ferrars
            - 63. John Neville m. Elizabeth Newmarch
              - 70. Joan Neville m. Sir William Gascoigne
                - 75. Sir William Gascoigne m. Margaret Percy (No. 71)
                - 79. Elizabeth Gascoigne m. Sir George Talbois
                - 83. Anne Talbois m. Sir Edward Dymoke (No. 78)
  - 9. Elizabeth de Clare m. John de Burgh
    - 17. William de Burgh Earl of Ulster m. Maud Plantagenet (Desc. Henry III)
      - 27. Elizabeth de Burgh m. Lionel Duke of Clarence (No. 20)
- Ralph de Monthemer
  - 10. Thomas de Monthemer
    - 18. Margaret de Monthemer m. John Montacute
      - 28. John Montacute E. Salisbury m. Maude Francis
        - 41. Thomas Montacute 4th Earl of Salisbury d. 1428 m. Eleanor Holland (No. 36)
          - 53. Alice Montacute Countess of Salisbury m. Richard Neville (No. 45)
- 3. Elizabeth m.[2] Humphrey Bohun
  - 11. William Bohun E. of Northampton m. Elizabeth Badlesmere
    - 19. Elizabeth Bohun m. Richard Fitzalan Earl of Arundel (Desc. Henry III)
      - 29. Alice Fitzalan m. Thomas Holland (No. 24)
- 4. **EDWARD II** murdered 1328 m. Isabella, dau. of Philip IV of France
  - 12. **EDWARD III** m. Philippa of Hainault dau. of William III
    - 20. **LIONEL, DUKE OF CLARENCE** d. 1368 m. Elizabeth de Burgh (No. 27)
      - 30. Philippa of Clarence d. 1381–2 m. Edmund Mortimer Earl of March d. 1381
        - 42. Roger Mortimer Earl of March d. 1398 m. Eleanor Holland (No. 37)
          - 54. Anne Mortimer m. Richard Earl of Cambridge (No. 33)
        - 43. Elizabeth Mortimer m. Henry Percy "HOTSPUR" (Desc. Henry III)
          - 55. Henry Percy E. of Northumberland d. 1455 m. Eleanor Neville (No. 44)
            - 64. Henry Percy 3d Earl of Northumberland d. 1461 m. Eleanor Poynings
              - 71. Margaret Percy m. Sir William Gascoigne (No. 75)
              - 72. Henry Percy 4th Earl of N. m. Maud Herbert
                - 76. Henry Percy, 5th Earl m. Katherine Spencer (No. 67)
                - 80. Margaret Percy m. Sir Henry Clifford
                - 84. Catherine Clifford m. Sir Richard Cholmeley
                - 87. Mary Cholmeley m. Rev. Henry Fairfax
                - 90. Henry, 4th Lord Fairfax m. Frances Barwick
                - 93. Henry Fairfax m. Anne Harrison
                - 96. William Fairfax m. Deborah Clarke
                - 99. Hannah Fairfax m. Warner Washington (No. 101)
    - 21. **JOHN OF GAUNT** d. 1399 m.[2] Catherine (Roet) Swynford
      - 31. Joan Beaufort 2d wife of Ralph Neville Earl of Westmoreland d. 1425 (see No. 40)
        - 44. Eleanor Neville m. Henry Percy (No. 55)
        - 45. Richard Neville E. Salisbury m. Alice Montacute (No. 53)
          - 56. Richard Neville "THE KING MAKER" m. Anne Beauchamp (No. 62)
            - 65. Isabella Neville m. George, Duke of Clarence (No. 59)
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          - 57. George Neville Lord Abergeveney m.[1] Margaret Penne
            - 66. Jane Neville m. Henry Pole Baron Montague (No. 73)
      - 32. John Beaufort Earl of Somerset d. 1410 m. Margaret Holland (No. 38)
        - 48. Edmund Beaufort Duke of Somerset d. 1455 m. Eleanor Beauchamp
          - 58. Eleanor Beaufort m. Robert Spencer
            - 67. Katherine Spencer m. Henry Percy (No. 76)
      - 22. Edmund of Langley Duke of York m. Isabelle, dau. of Peter the Cruel, of Castile
        - 33. Richard Plantagenet beheaded 1415 m. Anne Mortimer (No. 54)
          - 49. Richard Plantagenet Duke of York (White Rose) d. 1460 m. Cecily Neville (No. 46)
            - 59. George Plantagenet Duke of Clarence drowned 1478 in a butt of Malmsey wine m. Isabella Neville (No. 65)
              - 68. Margaret Plantagenet "LAST OF THE PLANTAGENETS" Countess of Salisbury beheaded 1541 m. Sir Richard Pole
                - 73. Henry Pole, Baron Montague beheaded 1539 m. Jane Neville (No. 66)
                - 77. Winifred Pole m. Sir Thomas Barrington
                - 81. Sir Francis Barrington m. JOAN CROMWELL, aunt of Oliver
                - 85. Joan Barrington m. Sir Richard Everard
                - 88. Sir Richard Everard m. Elizabeth Gibbs
                - 91. Sir Hugh Everard m. Mary Brown
                - 94. Sir Richard Everard m. Susannah Kidder
                - 97. Susannah Everard m. David Meade
                - 100. Richard Kidder Meade m. Mary Grymes
                - 102. David Meade m. Louisa Washington Nelson (No. 105)
                - 104. Susan Everard Meade m. David Funsten
        - 34. Constance Plantagenet m. Thomas Despenser (No. 39)
- 5. Thomas of Brotherton Earl of Norfolk, d. 1338 m. Alice Halys
  - 13. Margaret Plantagenet Duchess of Norfolk m.[1] John, Lord Seagrave
    - 23. Elizabeth Seagrave m. John, 4th Lord Mowbray (Desc. Henry III)
      - 35. Margaret (or Eleanor) m. John Lord Welles
        - 50. Eudo de Welles m. Maud Greystock
          - 60. Lionel de Welles m. Joan Watertown
            - 69. Margaret de Welles m. Sr Thomas Dymoke
              - 74. Sir Robert Dymoke m. Anne Sparrow
                - 78. Sir Edward Dymoke m. Anne Talbois (No. 83)
                - 82 Frances Dymoke m. Sir Thomas Windebank
                - 86 Mildred Windebank m. Robert Reade
                - 89. George Reade m. Elizabeth Martian
                - 92 Mildred Reade m. Augustine Warner II
                - 95 Mildred Warner m. Lawrence Washington
                - 98. John Washington m. Catherine Whiting
                - 101. Warner Washington m. Hannah Fairfax (No. 99)
                - 103. Catherine Washington m. Dr. John Nelson
                - 105. Louisa Washington Nelson m. David Meade (No. 102)
- 6. Edmond of Woodstock E. of Kent, beheaded 1330 m. Margaret Wake
  - 14. Joan "FAIR MAID OF KENT" m.[1] Thomas Holland
    - 24. Thomas Holland 2d Earl of Kent d. 1397, m. Alice Fitzalan (No. 29)
      - 36. Eleanor Holland m. Thomas Montacute (No. 41)
      - 37. Eleanor Holland m. Roger Mortimer (No. 42)
      - 38. Margaret Holland m. John Beaufort (No. 32)

## Descent from ALFRED THE GREAT

ALFRED THE GREAT m. Ealswyth
EDWARD THE ELDER m. Edgiva
EDMUND I m. Elgiva
EDGAR m. Aelfthryth
ETHELRED II THE UNREADY m. Emma
EDMUND II IRONSIDES m. Ealdgyth
EDWARD THE OUTLAW m. Agatha
MARGARET ATHELING m. Malcolm III Canmore, son of Duncan, murdered by Macbeth
MATILDA OF SCOTLAND m. Henry I of England, son of William the Conqueror

## Descent from WILLIAM THE CONQUEROR

WILLIAM THE CONQUEROR, m. Matilda, dau. of Baldwin V of Flanders
HENRY I m. Matilda, dau. Maleolm III of Scotland
MATILDA m. Geoffrey Plantagenet, Count of Anjou
HENRY II m. Eleanor, heiress of Aquitaine
JOHN m. Isabella of Angoulême
HENRY III mar. Eleanor of Provence
EDWARD I

## Descent from CHARLEMAGNE

CHARLEMAGNE
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LOUIS THE GERMAN
CARLOMAN
ARNOLD
HADVIGA
HENRY
HADVIGA m. Hugh the Great
HUGH CAPET
ROBERT THE PIOUS m. Constance of Toulouse
HENRY I m. Anne of Russia
PHILIP I m. Bertha of Holland
LOUIS VI m. Adelaide of Maurienne
LOUIS VII m. Alice of Champagne
PHILIP II m. Isabella of Hainault
LOUIS VIII m. Blanche of Castile
LOUIS IX m. Margaret of Provence
PHILIP III m. Isabella of Aragon
PHILIP IV m. Jane of Navarre
ISABELLA m. EDWARD II of England

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